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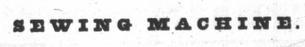

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BY M. T.

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They will ever unconsciously stray,
And never grow weary with gazing.

Such modesty, beauty, and grace,
Was ne'er before witnessed, I'm certain,
As seen in that beautiful face
Revealed by that wind-lifted curtain.

A Hebe might covet her her eye,
Her form might be envied by Venus,
But alas! I confess with a sigh,
There is more than that curtain between us.

For memory comes with a start,
Too long has its power been parried,
And brings to my love smitten heart
The chilling assurance—she's married!

I must harden my heart to her power,
No thought of success can I harbor,
To me every hope is as sour
As the grapes which hang over my arbor.

**A STRANGE ADVENTURE OF A NIGHT.**

D——; and as for the pheasants and the hounds, alas! these to me must be things of the past. I have been stricken to the heart, and have no relish for these sports of my youth."

"Tut, tut!" said the marquis; "say not so, man. You must not give way; we will have you in the old hall again, and will soon get you round. I shall yet see you make your crack innings at cricket again, and pull the stroke oar in the winning boat at our regatta."

I smiled incredulously; and, wringing his hand warmly, we descended the stairs together. There were three or four dingy-looking men at the door, like cabmen or osters, but I could not see any cab in the street.

"Here, my lord," said the waiter bustling from a side office into the hall where we stood, "here are the notes for your lordship—three fifties and five tens; in all, two hundred. Sorry to have kept your lordship waiting."

"No matter, no matter," said he. "Thank you, that will do—perfectly correct. Come to my room for the cheque."

His lordship took the crisp new notes, crumpled them unceremoniously, and handed them to me.

A pair of fierce, basilisk-like eyes glared on me with a murderous glance as I took the notes, and secured them in my pocket-book. I looked more sharply to note the watcher, but he was gone; I knew he must have been one of the hangers-on whom I observed in the hall. Another warm pressure of the hand, good-night once more, and I was in the street, and alone.

The post office clock was chiming the quarter past ten as I walked from the Belton towards Nelson's pillar. There was still a light drizzling rain falling, but the wind had considerably abated.

I was literally wearied out both in mind and body, and having been for the last twelve months a confirmed invalid, I was unable to bear much fatigue, and therefore I eagerly looked for a cab to take me to my lodgings. I could not see one within hail, but a fellow crossing from the pillar, and touching his hat, said, "Beg pardon, your honor, but maybe you want a cab?"

"Yes," said I, to take me to the North Strand. Is there one to be had?"

"Not for love or money on the stand this night, your honor," he replied: "but I'll run and get you one in a jiffey."

"Look alive, then, my good fellow, and I will give you something for yourself," said I.

"Och, then, long life to you for the same!" said the man. "Just stop as you are, and I'll be back in a twinkle."

He scudded across to the pillar again, and went in the direction of Earl street; he had not been many minutes gone when a cab, seeming to shoot out of a lane off Earl street, turned sharply round the corner, and pulled up close at the curb where I was standing.

"A wet night, your honor, wet and cowld," said the driver, springing from the seat, and tugging at the door handle of the vehicle.

"Very," said I, laconically; "where is the man who hailed you?"

"Here, your honor," said a fellow, springing from the inside of the cab, "here I am. I didn't keep you long, and faith it's ready an' willin' I am now to drink your honor's health."

The douceur of a shilling threw the fellow into a transport of delight and gratitude. I sprang into the cab, drew up both glasses, gave the necessary directions, and as the door closed with a bang, flung myself, all wearied as I was, on a not very comfortable or luxrious cushion.

I sat for a long time lost in reverie, and thinking over the fearful past and the strange events of the evening, when I began to consider it strange that I should not have been at home before this, and looking from the window was surprised to see that the cab was proceeding along the quay (which quay I did not well discern) at a rapid pace, and as any part of the quay would be a circuitous route to my lodgings, I let down the glass, and hailed the driver.

"Hallo!" said I.

"Yes, your honor," said the man.

"What is all this?" I demanded; "what did you take this road for?"

"Fire, your honor, fire!"

"Fire!" said I. "What on earth do you mean?"

"Why you see," said the fellow, turning in his seat towards me, "a great big fire broke out in Conolly's buildings, and the polis wouldn't let us pass through Talbot street, so we had to come by the quay for shortness, your honor. Och murther! there's the blazes again! and, huroo, there goes the scape!"

"Scape!" said I, "what scape?"

"Fiery scape, your honor," replied the man; "that's the Rotundy fiery scape. I know it from a thousand by the creesh of its wheels."

I certainly saw flames shooting up at some distance, and heard the heavy lumber of wheels, and therefore concluded that all was right.

"Be alive then," said I, "and get me home at once, for it is growing late."

"Never fear, your honor, never fear," said the man; "you'll be there afore no time."

"Hallo?" said I, again looking out; "who is that you have got on the seat with you?"

"Its me, your honor—me that got you the cab," said the other man, "and its obligated I am to your honor entirely, just Jim gave me a lift, as I live in these parts."

"Oh, all right," said I, "drive on," as I pulled up the glass, and again sank back on the cushion.

I felt drowsy and exhausted, and thinking I might as well "give in" till I reached home, I stretched out my feet on the opposite seat, folded my arms, leaned back in the cab, and in a few minutes was fairly fast asleep.

How long I slept I know not, but I was awakened by the jolting of the cab, as if in a deeply-rutted road. I started up, rubbed my eyes, and tried to look through the window. My breathing had clouded the glass. I took out my pocket-handkerchief, and cleared it. I know not why I did not let down the glass, as I had none before, but I have often since considered that it must have been by some divine and merciful instinct providentially given to me at the moment, for I feel convinced that, had I there and then let down the window, I should not now be writing this. I cleaned the glass with my handkerchief, and looked out.

We were in the country—a wild, lonely, apparently uninhabited part of the country. The cab was proceeding now slowly, along a lane bounded on each side by a loose, irregular thorn hedge. The rain had ceased, the wind had fallen, the stars were in the sky, and so benumbed with cold were all my limbs that I knew it was freezing fast.

Like the lightning flash broke the terrible truth at once upon my mind. I was entrapped; lured to death—hopelessly cut off from all aid—what could I do? And there on the driving seat sat the two fiends in human form who had thus deliberately planned my destruction, and whose smothered whisperings I could now distinctly hear, as doubtless they were selecting the fittest spot for the perpetration of their villainy. They must surely have known that I carried a large sum of money about with me, for the obtaining of which they would not scruple to do the deed of blood. And here was I, in the hands of two such powerful ruffians, helpless as a child. Oh, for one half hour of my former self, when my strength was in its prime! But now, weakly, and worn out with sickness and sorrow—to be butchered in cold blood was horrible!

It occurred to me at once that escape was utterly impossible, unless I could by some ingenuity defeat their diabolical scheme. I had no weapon of defence, my physical strength was puny as a child's; and, therefore, to think of coping with two powerful and avaricious ruffians, at the lone hour of midnight, far away from friendly aid, would only end in utter discomfiture—perhaps accelerate and aggravate my doom. Could I not, then, counterplot, and in this way defeat their infernal purpose? and so I set my wits to work, sharpened as they were now by the extremity of circumstances.

From boyhood I had been noted among my companions for a certain extraordinary faculty for devising and extemporising expedients to extricate myself and fellows from any sudden embarrassment or danger that would entangle us; and this peculiar talent of early youth stood me now well, for otherwise I believe I could never have hit upon the extraordinary expedient I did, to save myself from robbery and violence.

I took out my pocket-book, and having carefully extracted the bank notes, I turned up the cus ion on which I sat, and cutting a slit in the lining with my penknife I put the notes in between the stuffing and the lining. I then took from the pocket-book a few shillings and two half crowns—all the money I had in the world before I got the loan from my friend—put them in my pocket, and in their place, and in place of the notes, I thrust a lot of loose papers I had in my pocket, such as haberdashers' bills for gloves and collars, grocers advertisements of best black tea at three-and-four pence the pound, and sundry other advertisements of a kindred nature, such as are hawked through the streets and politely handed to pedestrians.

I could not, of course, recognise or read them now in the dark, but having received them on that very day, and having carelessly thrust them into my pocket when I saw what they were, I knew both the nature and value of the papers I was now so strangely enclosing in my pocket-book. I then took out my white pocket-handkerchief, tied up the book in it, carefully knotting the ends. Hitherto I had done all this noiselessly in the cab, but now that my scheme was fully developed, I made as much stir as would be sure to attract the attraction of those outside, and then let down the glass with a clang.

A few paces from the cab was a little gate in the hedge, leading into a field; the gate was easily discerned, for it was painted white, and near it lay something on the ground which appeared like a small donkey-cart that had broken down. This was beyond all I could have hoped; it suited my purpose to the hair, and so when the cab came right opposite the gate, I flung out my pocket-book enveloped in my white handkerchief, and had the satisfaction to see it fall exactly on the spot I intended.

The moment I had put down the window I heard an exclamation of surprise from one of the fellows outside, and the other saying, in a suppressed voice, "Be Japers, he's awake already!" So, then, they had been watching me, and knew I slept.

They must have seen the packet I flung out. They apparently took no notice of it, but the same voice whispered audibly again, "Dhrive on, Jim, dhrive on; its only a few perches from here."

The cab was instantly put into rapid motion, driven recklessly over stones and into ruts, in a way that seemed to threaten the demolition of springs, or the vehicle; but when it had got about two hundred yards, as I supposed, from where the parcel was flung out, it was pulled up with a sudden jerk, and one of the fellows, jumping from the seat, dashed to the door of the cab, wrung it open, and exclaimed—"Coma now, my buck, there's no use in any more colloguing! P'raps you know us now; and if you don't, you soon will. So, no palaver, but fork out the notes at once."

He grasped me by the collar of my coat as he spoke, and held me in a vice-like pressure.

I had my own part to play, so I replied, with as much cool indifference as I could assume, "What notes, my good fellow?"

"What notes?" said he. "Why, ye onmannerly spalpeen, the notes that ye got at the hotel. Didn't I see the fellow with the white choker give them to the long markus? and didn't I see the markus giving them to you? and didn't I see yerself fobbing them? So, no more of yer scheming; it won't do with me. Out with them, I say, at wanst. Look alive now; for it's mortal cowld here."

"I pledge you my honor, as a gentleman," said I, "that I have not those notes on my person now."

"Haven't the notes?" said he. "You lie, you bosthoon. You got them—three fifties and five tins—and you fobbed them. Haven't the notes? But we'll soon see that!"

The fellow lifted me out of the cab in his powerful grip, and flung me to the ground. In a moment both scoundrels were on me; all my pockets ransacked—clearly turned inside out—and the contents (the loose silver, my penknife, gold pencil-case, and some other trifling articles) flung unceremoniously on the ground. Even my watch, a valuable gold repeater, was thrown as dross upon the earth; they cared not for these things; the "three fifties and five tens" was what they wanted; and, like vultures scenting a huge and bloated carcase, they left their minor prey as rubbish, in quest of it.

Neither pocket-book nor notes were of course found, and they were literally beside themselves with disappointment and furious rage.

"I say, Jim," said one of the fellows, "in with ye to the cab, and search for it there, while I take off his boots."

He tugged at my boots as I lay upon the ground; but so saturated were they with wet, as I had been walking all day in the rain, that they resisted his utmost endeavors to remove them; and then, with many horrible imprecations, having satisfied himself that a bulky pocket book could not be concealed in a tight-fitting boot, he gave over the effort altogether.

"I say, Jim, have ye got it?" he asked of his companion.

"Och, sorra resave the morsel of pocket-book or fimsey here, Roddy," replied the ruffian.

"Why, ye thundering vagabone," said Roddy, turning on me with all the fury of a wild beast, "what have ye done with the notes? what have ye done with them, I say? Have ye swallied them? Come, be the mortial man, I'll slit your wissard for ye and have them out."

He unsheathed a huge clasp-knife as he spoke, kneeled upon my breast, and prepared to put his terrible threat into instant execution.

As the fellow knelt over me in the dim starlight, I saw what I remembered but too well, and what instantly cleared up the mystery attending on my having been so strangely entrapped. I saw the savage eyes that had glared upon me in the hall of the Belton Hotel.

Now came the crisis of my fate; now life or death hung suspended by a thread—and knowing and feeling this but too acutely, I nerved myself to play out the part I had assumed, to the last.

"One moment," I exclaimed—"only one moment and you shall have the pocket-book. I will tell you all."

The ruffian's left hand had grasped my throat, and in his right he held the naked clasp knife; but as I uttered these words, he partially relaxed his hold, and I was relieved from a horrib feeling of strangulation.

"Come, then," he shouted, in all the ld fury of his demoniac purpose; "out wid what ye have to say, and let us have the notes at wanst."

"I got the notes," said I, "as you s y, and put them in my pocket-book; but when, on awakening in the cab, I saw the trick you had played me, in a moment of violent rage I determined that you should never lay a finger on them, so I took the pocket-book, tied my handkerchief tightly around it, and flung it out of the window; however I now repent having done so. You may have it if you go back to where you heard me letting down the window, where there is a little white gate at the side of the lane, and something like a broken cart lying beside it. You will find the parcel there; you can readily discern it by the white cloth in which it is wrapped."

"Where the donkey's yoke is with the broken wheel?" he asked.

"Yes," I replied.

"And where I saw ye throw something out of the windy, as I thought was the lavings of yer victtals rolled up in paper?" he continued.

"Yes," said I.

"And ye mane for to say that was he pocket-book tied up in yer handkerchif, and in the notes, the three fifties and the five tins?"

"I mean to say it," I replied; "that was the pocket-book. I tied my white handkerchief tightly around it that it might be the more easily found. There it lies still; you will find it lying beside the donkey's broken cart."

He was convinced—I saw it at once—and I was saved. He gave a prolonged p-h-e-w, arose, sheathed the knife, replaced it in his breast, and exclaimed in tones of wild amazement, "Well, I'm blowed if you are not the very rummest chap as ever I crossed, to throw a pocket-book, with notes in it—three fifties and five tins—out of a cab windy on a dark dhrary night. Mortial man! did ever any one hear the like? Come Jim," said he, addressing his companion, "It's lying at the little gate going into Danny Sullivan's field, where the wheel came off his cart yesterday."

They both started at once, and, in their eagerness to recover the long-coveted treasure, seemed to forget that they were leaving both me and their cab and horse behind them. As for m , doubtless they thought I was unable to move, a that they would surely find me there on their re urn. This, however, they were not destined to ee. Every moment was to me now winged with eternal import. As soon as they were some dozen yards away, I started to my feet as best I could, crawled into the cab, clutched the cushion, took out the notes, secured them in my pocket, and then picking up my watch, and what else was scattered about, made for the hedge. Fortunately I found an opening, through which, with some difficulty, I squeezed my body, and got into a large grass field. I kept along the hedge for some time, and then made right across the field, as best I could. I verily believe that the elation of mind I felt from the success of my scheme, inspired me with vigor far more than could the fear of discovery or death. Though not wholly safe, I chuckled with intense delight. The pocket-book they would assuredly find, and feeling that it was stuffed with papers, would naturally conclude that they were the notes—the "three fifties, and the five tins"—and perhaps would not even open it until they got home; but when they did so, and found, instead of rustling bank notes, bills for hosiery and cheap tea, quacks advertisements and auctioneers' catalogues of sale—Oh, what a howl—what a fiendish howl of disappointment would they utter! and how I g ted, absolutely gloated, over the very thought!

When I had struggled on for about half a mile, I stopped by the side of a deep ditch, and listened for the sounds of pursuit, determined, if I should hear any, to lie in the bottom of the dyke, where it would be utterly impossible for them to find me, but not a single sound reached my ears. Once, indeed, I thought I heard a hoarse imprecation uttered by that incarnate fiend Roddy, but when it died away all was silence again. Doubtless it was his yell of rage on discovering that I had fled, and doubtless having searched for me in the vicinity of the cab, they thought it would be utterly fruitless to pursue me over a wild waste of country, where they could not see a dozen yards before them, and where were plenty of hedgerows and dykes, by means of which, in the darkness of the night, a fugitive could easily baffle all pursuit.

I was now comparatively safe, and slowly and cautiously groped my way onward for another half-mile, when I came to a large, substantial and honest looking farmhouse. The good people were in bed—it was past twelve o'clock, but they kindly admitted me on hearing my knock and call for assistance. Without recounting particulars, I met y told them that I had been waylaid and obliged to cape across the fields from assailants, and th accounted for the pitiable plight in which they saw me. I asked shelter till the morning, which was readily granted, and every attention was paid me by the simple-minded and hospitable inmates.

Such was my wild adventure of a night. I never gave a detailed public account of it till now—some years since it occurred. I never afterwards applied to the authorities, nor put detectives on the scent. I would rather let the matter die quietly away, unheard-of, and so unnoticed; first, because I myself though the assailed party, and with fearful odds against me, had come off the real victor; and secondly, because I was firmly persuaded that the disappointment the scoundrels met with, on opening the pocket-book, and seeing what were its contents, was to them a far greater punishment than the greatest the law could inflict, whether it were capital condemnation or penal servitude for life. By the same blow, I myself had not only outwitted but severely chastised them.

To those who may kindly take an i terest in my after history, I may say, the applicatio of my noble friend to the viceroy on my behal was entirely successful. I obtained the appointm t—got two month's leave—went on a visit to Cas B——, but I seldom or never drew a trigg in the pre serves, never made an innings at cricket, and neve pulled stroke oar or any oar at the regatta. Although I recovered in some degree the buoyancy of my animal spirits, (who would not among such society?) still I was an altered man; the deadly shadow of the fearful past was always flung upon present enjoyment. I still mourned for those I had lost—still lived on, sad and sorrowful; and I believe it will be the same to the end of the chapter.

THE other day, says the *Union*, an Indian was passing over the high railroad trestle bridge near Shingle Springs when the down train came thundering along, curving through a deep cut, allowing him only two seconds in which to avoid the danger. But the Indian proved equal to the occasion. He suddenly dropped between the rails, and hung suspended with his hands clasped around the cross-ties until the train had passed over, when he crawled out unhurt.

THE BLACK DEATH.

Since it is said that the Siberian plague is extending rapidly westward, some accounts of the plague called the Black Death might not be uninteresting. The following is from the Cornhill (England) Magazine:

The Black Death, like many other terrible plagues of its class, can be traced far back into the remote East; and there is no doubt that it was the same disease which ravaged Tartary in 1336, fifteen years before it arrived on the shores of Europe. There had been a great famine in China, preceded by floods and earthquakes, which alone destroyed 900,000. From the remote East it crept along, and made its way into Europe some years later, for pestilence often travels slowly, accompanying the migration of men, and being carried about in their clothes and merchandise. It did not arrive in Europe until 1347, fifteen years after its outbreak in China. "From China" says Hecker, the routes of the caravans lay to the north of the Caspian Sea, through Central Asia, to Tauris. Here, also were ready to take the produce of the East to Constantinople, the capital of commerce and medium of communication between Europe, Asia and Africa." Contagion made its way along these channels and Constantinople, and the seaports of Asia Minor where the foci whence the disease was carried to every country of Europe. Making its way across the European continent, it made its greatest ravages—save perhaps in England—in Italy, raging terribly at Florence, where it was observed and described by the poet Boccaccio. Passing along the shores of the Mediterranean, it invaded France by way of Avignon, spreading thence to England on the one hand, and to Germany on the other, whence like the cholera of the present day, it doubled back two years later to Russia, and so back to the East.

The Black Death, so called from the rapid putrefaction of the bodies of its victims, was of the same nature as the oriental plague—viz: a putrid typhus, one of the greater malignity. The boils of the latter disease were found in the former whenever the patient lived long enough to permit their development. The inhabitants of Europe at that time have been computed at 100,000,000—a high estimate. Of these 25,000,000, or one fourth of the whole perished. In England it was still more fatal, owing likely to the ruder habits of the people. During the term of one year—viz: from August, 1348 to August 1349, three-fourths of the whole population perished! Indeed, if we are to credit the annalists of that period, no more than one tenth escaped! Many succumbed in a few hours, like Sennacherib's host: none endured for three days. In France numbers died on the spot where they were first smitten, as if struck by lightning. This terrible scourge having swept over the then well known world, committing such misery and poverty as the world never saw before nor since, at length died out; never again, we trust, to revisit the earth. It spared neither age, nor sex, nor condition; the rich and poor alike succumbed. There died in Venice of the aristocratic, no less than 100,000 persons; in Florence, the refined 60,000; in Paris, the gay, 50,000; and in London, the wealthy, 100,000; while in busy, rich industrious Norwich, there died the almost incredible number of 50,000 persons—nearly the whole of the inhabitants, one would suppose. At Avignon the deaths occurred with such frightful rapidity as to wholly baffle the attempts of the living to inter their friends and relatives; and the Pope was obliged to consecrate the Rhone to allow of the dead bodies finding a hallowed resting place upon its bosom, until it finally committed them to the great deep.

BOLD STAGE ROBBERY.

On the 21st inst., after the stage bound down from Idaho City had passed the Straw Ranch, and was making Pleasant Valley, west of Burnt River, six "road agents" jumped from the bushes, armed with shot-guns and pistols, and wearing masks, demanded the driver to stop. Instead of halting the driver whipped ahead at a faster gait, when one of the horses in the team was shot, falling dead, which caused the stage to stop. The "agents" assisted the women to alight, and presented their revolvers at Goodman, also asking him to get out of the coach. By this time the other passengers were some distance ahead and getting away. The robbers then proceeded to take what valuables they could find, even pulling the jewelry from the persons of the females. The ear of one woman was badly lacerated where a member of the banditti took from her one of a pair of diamond rings. The amounts stolen make an aggregate of some $10,000. Goodman was the heaviest loser. He lost $10,000 in bricks and dust—there was 1,500 of "batter" dust; seventy ounces of Bannock dust; considerable Owyhee Creek dust and three bricks among his treasure. One of the bricks was made at Idaho City, and was valued at $3,272,72; another was made of gold and silver, worth $634; another, $84. He authorizes us to say that he will give $5,000 for the apprehension of the thieves and the recovery of this money. One of the women lost $1,800; another, $800, a packet lost $1,500—besides other amounts equal in the aggregate to $3,000. The robbers made good their escape, and none of the passengers were killed. Goodman fired two shots, but there being no concert of action among the passengers, resistance on his part was a useless undertaking. The road is an open, highway, very much traveled at the point where the attack was made. Another coach, with passengers and Wells, Fargo & Co.'s Express messenger, came up to the place within five minutes after the time the robbers left, and a gang of men were employed but a short distance from there working the road. No clue was obtained as to who the robbers were.—*Oregonian.*

HORRIBLE MURDER.—The Solano Press of the 4th inst., gives the following account of a dreadful murder in that county on the 28th ult:

"Two Prussians, Fritz Polzing and Wm. Westphall, were engaged in hauling barley from Westphall's ranch, about five miles southeast of Davenport, to the residence of Polzing, and when near the latter place, Westphall went to the house and informed Mrs. Westphall (half sister of Polzing and who had recently separated from her husband,) that Polzing had fallen from the wagon and had been killed by being run over. She at once repaired to the spot and found Polzing still living and able to rise upon his elbow and signify by motions that he wanted water. She at once started to procure some water for the wounded man, when, after proceeding a short distance, on looking around, she saw Westphall strike Polzing three times with the head with an ax, exclaiming, "I will fix you out this time;" and on again returning to the spot found life extinct. Westphall then endeavored to intimidate her from exposing him, with threats. In the meantime, while the parties were standing over the dead body, a man by the name of Shedd came along, and Mrs. W. requested that the body be taken to his (P.'s) late residence; but Westphall objected and wished it taken to his (W.'s) residence, some little distance off; the matter was settled, however, by complying with the wishes of Mrs. W. Westphall was arrested, with the body of the deceased, taken to Mr. Vyse's, where Justice Carrington, in default of bail, committed him to jail to await the action of the Grand Jury."

A TELEGRAPH office has been opened in the thriving town of Copperopolis, says the Stock-

# DUTCH FLAT ENQUIRER.

SATURDAY MORNING, OCT. 14, 1865.


Now, by St. Paul, the work goes bravely on,
The Stars and Stripes are up for Liberty,
Flag of the Nation--Talisman of the Free,
Curs'd be the hand that dares to pull thee down.

REGULAR UNION NOMINATION:
For Justice of the Supreme Court,
S. W. SANDERSON.

NOMINATIONS FOR TOWNSHIP No. 4,

For Justices of the Peace,
R. AUBURY, J. H. NEFF.

The importance of the election on Wednesday next should impel every Union man in the county to turn out; we are to elect a Justice of the Supreme Court who holds his office for *ten years*; and the necessity of placing a man in that position who is known to be friendly to the Government is imperative. None of us know what questions may arise during the period of a decade requiring adjudication, and we should prepare ourselves for every emergency which may arise by selecting one in point of honesty and sound legal attainments whom we know to be equal to whatever emergency which may present itself. The Copperheads do not expect to elect their candidate, but only to divert the Union vote that they may encourage the lukewarm in the next election to affiliate with them.—We also elect on Wednesday two Justices of the Peace for each Township for two years from January next. The Union men have placed their candidates before the people; men thought to be in every way worthy their confidence and eminently fitted for the position which the party have recommended them; the Copperheads have no candidates for this office in this Township, unless those who denominate themselves "independent" are in the democratic interest. It is not risking anything, we believe, to say that the sympathizers of the late rebellion will support these men to a man; and no effort on the part of the Copperheads will be spared to secure the candidates opposed to the regular Union nominees as large a vote as possible. Taking this view of the matter, we call upon good and true Union men to stand by the nominees of the party, and not allow any personal or petty prejudices to influence their actions in this matter. Our people are vitally interested in getting competent men to fill our local offices, and much of the harmony and welfare of a community depend upon the judgment and sound sense of the men placed in the capacity as a Justice of the Peace in a thriving community like our own. We ought to exert ourselves, therefore, to secure the services of men who are fully committed to the great work of maintaining the Union and supporting the laws.

FIRE IN AUBURN.—A fire broke out in the laundry adjoining the American hotel on Wednesday morning last, which consumed seventeen houses, mostly occupied by Chinese. The remains of a child six years old were discovered in the ruins on Thursday morning. The moon-eyed wretches appear determined to burn Auburn.

ROAD AGENTS.—A man, whose name we were unable to learn, was stopped last Wednesday night on the trail leading from Iowa Hill to Ford's Bar by two knights of the road and relieved of five or six dollars, all the money he had with him. He afterwards went to the Hill and no pursuasion could induce him to commence the trip again.

☞ THE hands on the Pacific Railroad are now at work at Blue Bluff, a point about eight miles above this place. It is surprising as well as gratifying to witness the celerity with which this work is progressing, and should the company not meet with any insurmountable difficulty, there is no reasonable doubt but the iron horse will be snorting at our doors by the first or middle of April next.

TUMS OF GOODS.—Burckhalter, the "irrepressible," has been endeavoring for the past two months to lay in a winter's supply of family groceries and provisions, but up to the present writing has signally failed in the attempt, notwithstanding he has had two or three teams constantly hauling to him from Colfax. The failure, however, has been owing to the machinations of "mud-sills" living in and around Dutch Flat, who have been industriously employed during the time mentioned in carrying off his purchases as fast as he can get them hauled to town, and the only motive they assign for this course is, that he sells good articles *cheap*. Fred. says he is ruining himself. People take advantage of his innocency.

GRADING.—Mr. Secord, our present Road Commissioner is at present engaged in McAdamizing the road leading into town from Steam Saw Mill to the junction of Sacramento and Stockton streets. This work was long needed, and we are glad that the Commissioners has at length started upon it in time to save that portion of the road, from a similar miserable condition it was in last winter. A little work judiciously expended upon the road leading to Virginia City, would much improve that also.

FASHIONABLE.—We call attention to the advertisement of Meussdorffer's hat and cap establishment, No. 125 J, between 4th and 5th streets, Sacramento. This house has an immense assortment where every conceivable covering for the head can be had, from a baby's cap to the latest Parisian silk. Those needing a fine hat can examine a specimen sent us by this gentleman.

FASTEST TIME ON RECORD.—The following dispatch was received in Virginia City on Tuesday evening last by John J. Valentine, Esq., agent in that city of the Pioneer and Overland Stage Company, in regard to the trip now being made to the Missouri river by Louis McLane and party, his trip promises to be the quickest on record, for such a distance:

SALT LAKE, Oct. 9—11 A. M.

To Valentine:—Messrs. McLane and Tracey arrived here yesterday at 12 M. Time from San Francisco, three days and twenty hours.

A. STEIN.

The distance from San Francisco to Salt Lake is 800 miles; the time occupied was 93 hours, or at the rate of ten miles an hour the entire distance.

SENATOR STEWART, of Nevada, visited Quincy, Plumas county, October, 4th, made them a speech, talked them on a railroad project and left a great many with the Plumas-ites.

THE Union State Convention which convened at Sacramento on the 10th instant, nominated on the evening of the 11th, D. W. Ashley for Congress, on the twenty-sixth ballot. Ashley was formerly Treasurer of this State.

## JUDICIAL ELECTION.

On Wednesday next our citizens will be called upon to vote for men to dispense law and justice, and although the election of Judicial Officers in this State was purposely set apart from those of a closer political nature, we cannot divest our mind of the fact that we are prone in a great degree, to allow political preferences to sway our actions in this as well as other elections where the candidates depend upon the masses of the people for endorsement. This being the case, should we not, all other considerations, capacity, honesty and morality, being equal, vote for those who are affiliated with us in upholding the government through the Union party? Is a man who has been known to be opposed to every effort brought to bear by the officers of the government fit to be entrusted with the sacred robes of justice; can the people with safety delegate to a Copperhead that power which a judicial office carries with it? There are many, we are aware, who do not hearthily endorse either the State or our local nominations, and for this reason are disposed to waive their righs as citizens and not go to the polls. No Convention of men can satisfy the objections of ALL men, and the object is attained when they satisfy the greatest number, hoping that the few dissatisfied will see the "error of their way" and give in their support. We had about as well throw away all political party association as to countenance persons who, becoming displeased with the action of a Convention, put themselves forward in order to defeat the regular nominees We opine they have not properly seen the position in which they place themselves by this course of procedure; they arrogate to themselves a singular freedom from the errors with which they charge a large majority of their neighbors; loosing sight, entirely, of the fact that they are in the least egotistical in thrusting themselves forward to injure the chances of persons who have been selected honorably and fairly by the Conventions which placed them before the people. Persons heretofore known as Union men have allowed themselves to be cajoled by Copperheads into the belief that in them *alone* depends the salvation of the party, and have instantaneously started off with a bundle of posters announcing themselves as candidates for office for the purpose, reasonably viewed of lessening the chances of those whom from prejudice or spite they oppose. Out with such Union men; they are showing their cloven foot so unmistakably that the most obtuse cannot fail to discern the mainspring of their action; and their former action coupled with their mouthy expressions of loyalty but convince the intelligent that office, not patriotism, was the motive which heretofore actuated them. We call upon all good men to rally around the polls on Wednesday next, and speak in such tones as to forever silence these hucksters after office that none but those put forward by the great party which has struggled so unceasingly for the maintainance of law and order can have the high places of the land. The Union party of to-day is as strong and invincible as it was in November last, and it only needs that the members be convinced that there is a necessity for the legions to pour forth and meet their old enemy in order to gain another and a glorious victory.

THE FENIANS AND THEIR RELATIONS WITH THE CHURCH.—There is a diversity of opinion concerning the relations of the Fenian Brotherhood and the Catholic Church. The Fenians contend that the Society is not interdicted by the Church of Rome, while some publications of the clergy appear to contradict that affirmation. The probabilities are that the Church, foreseeing national complications, desires to keep clear of the matter, and intends to neither oppose nor interdict very positively; and the Fenians being chiefly Catholics, are very likely to be advised of the peculiar gravity of the ecclesiastical displeasure which is likely to overtake them. The following card from the Archbishop of St. Louis, is the most positive expression that we have heard from the Church; but perhaps the Fenians are authorized to give it a liberal construction:

"The undersigned has read in the *Republican* of this morning, an announcement of a funeral to take place next Sunday, from St. Patrick's Church, in this city, of a deceased member of the Fenian Brotherhood, who died at St. Paul, Minnesota, on the 24th inst. The occasion is evidently made for a display on the part of those in St. Louis who are members of that association. Hence the deferred interment, and the pageant which is to accompany the funeral. The connection of St. Patrick's Church, where this service is announced to take place, and where, without any authority from the pastor of that church, it would appear, an oration, by a gentleman of this city, is to be delivered, imposes on me the obligation of forbidden—as I have done—the pastor of that church to permit any funeral service, or other religious ceremony to take place on that occasion. I have furthermore directed the Superintendent of Calvary Cemetery not to admit any procession of men or women bearing insignia of Fenianism within the gates of the cemetery. I use this occasion to state publicly, what I have uniformly stated in private conversation, that the members of the Fenian Brotherhood, men or women, are not admissable to the sacraments of the church as long as they are united with that association, which I have always regarded as immoral in its object—the exciting of rebellion in Ireland—and unlawful and illegal in its means, a quasi-military organization in this country while at peace with England, to be made effective in the event of war with that power.

THE ENTERPRISE LEAD.—The Enterprise lead is prospected to as great a depth as any which has been in the Meadow Lake District. The company has sunk a shaft some thirty feet from the surface, and have as yet found neither sides nor bottom. A few days since a blast was put in and two tons of rock blown out, in any piece of which free gold may be found in large quantities. These ledges differ in many respects from any gold bearing rock yet found. They are all very wide and exceedingly rich upon the top. Should they prove as rich as indications warrant us in believing they will, Meadow Lake will be ahead of any mining district known in less than a year.—*Nevada Transcript.*

WHERE IT WENT TO.—Dean Richmond, it is generally conceded, knows as much about the old Democratic party as any man. He has lately given the following striking illustration of the accuracy of his information. Dean, while in Buffalo the other day, directed the reduction of the wages of the New York Central Railroad employees. An exasperated committee of strikers telegraphed to him that they would not vote the Democratic ticket next fall, if they did not get their former pay. A reply came back more forcible than elegant: "The Democratic party has gone to ——, and you may go there too."

A MONTEREY correspondent of the Pajaro *Times* says: "The whaling season has commenced here. Our busy and industrious Portuguese population have launched their cutters a week ago, and have succeeded in bringing in two whales to each company, making in the aggregate 170 barrels of oil which, at the high price of oil now, will yield a nice round sum.

## HORRIBLE CALAMITY!

### STEAMBOAT EXPLOSION AND LOSS OF LIFE!

### The Yosemite Blown Up at Rio Vista!

### Forty-one Lives Known to be Lost!

### List of the Killed and Wounded Furnished.

We take the following account of the terrible disaster of the blowing up of the Steamer Yosemite at 6 o'clock, P. M., on Thursday evening, at her wharf at Rio Vista on the Sacramento, while on her down trip, from the Daily *Union* of yesterday morning, that paper says that fifteen white passengers are killed and missing, and thirty-eight are wounded by scalds and bruises. Twenty-five Chinamen are believed to have been lost. None of the ladies on board were injured. The steamer Chrysopolis, which arrived at 3 o'clock, brought up all of the dead and wounded except one body, which could not be recovered. The following account is furnished by one of the Yosemite's passengers:

OFFICE STEAMER CHRYSOPOLIS,
FRIDAY, Oct. 13—2 A. M.

EDS. UNION: I undertake a painful duty in attempting to give you a description of the terrible disaster on the steamer Yosemite, which occurred at the Rio Vista landing last evening, and from which I providentially escaped. A few minute past 6 P. M., as the steamer was leaving the landing, the boiler exploded, throwing all the upper cabin, pilot house—everything forward of the smoke-stack—into a total wreck, creating a scene of death and disaster most horrible to look upon, and which I will not attempt to describe. All I can hope to do in this letter, will be to give you, as correctly as possible, the terrible record of the

KILLED AND WOUNDED.

J. H. Myers, comedian, of Maguire's Opera House, killed.
J. M. Fallon, Treasurer of Maguire's Opera House, killed.
—— Major, Machinest of Maguire's Opera House, killed.
Wm. H. Stephenson, Manager of Maguire's Opera House, killed.
—— Wasburgh, Musician, of Maguire's Opera House, slightly scalded.
J. H. Barnes, killed.
—— Southerland, Bank of British North American, missing.
—— Decken, of the Central Pacific Railroad Co., missing.
A. Lindauer, of Virginia City, (Nev.) missing.
—— McCreary, badly scalded.
Patrick Hughes, badly scalded.
Dennis Driscoll, deck hand, badly scalded.
James P. Dunn, leg broken.
—— Jennings, check taker, badly scalded.
D. Barnete, discharged soldier from Gen. Grant's army, badly scalded.
Thomas Collins, old resident of San Francisco, badly scalded.
Joseph Middleton, of Virginia, (Nev.) slightly scalded and injured.
Four Chinamen, badly scalded.
Joe Butler, chief cook, slightly scalded.
Peter Burke, cook, badly scalded.
George Bowen, of Charleston, badly scalded.
G. W. Seaton, Senator elect from Amador, arm, leg and shoulder broken, and badly scalded—not expected to live—made his will on the Chrysopolis.
William Wilkinson,, deck boy, badly scalded and injured.
S. M. Creigh, clerk of Yosemite, slightly scalded.
Captain E. A. Poole, of Yosemite, was thrown from boiler deck forward to end of main deck—no serious injury.
S. Hesse, of Sacramento, cut in the face.
A. Finkhausen, of San Francisco, badly scalded, and wrist broken.
J. W. Haskin, late Senator from Mono, blown into the river and swan to opposite shore—slight contusion.
G. W. Bowen, of Sacramento, badly scalded.
E. L. Hastings, of McArran & Kelly, slightly scalded.
George L. Smith, of Boston, badly scalded.
George Christy, leg broken and badly scalded.
Charles Lewis Smith had check No. 71 in his pocket, $91, 25 in coin and trunk key, all of which are in charge of the steward. He had a brother-in-law in California named Sheldon Burbank.
G. W. Bowen, very badly scalded; has a mother, Sarah Bowen, living at Charlestown (Mass.); has lived last two years in Arizona.
—— Sweetapple, head cut slightly; Superintendent of a mill at Dayton (Nev.)
John Ramseer, of Sacramento, slightly scalded on the back of the head.
Jimmy Griffths, slightly cut in the head and scalded in the leg.
Charles Wilkins, of Sacramento, slightly scalded and bruised.
William Rogers, killed.
Three white men, dead, names unknown.
H. Wikoski, of Virginia City, Nev. scalded.
E. Jacobs, Sacramento, foot broke.n
——Cooper, messenger of Wells, Fargo & Co., was in his office—blown nearly to the opposite shore—returned, uninjured.
Michael Clancey, badly scalded.
Patrick Crowell, coal-passer, killed.
Captain W. Campbell, of Gillig, Mott & Co., badly bruised.
William Sharon, President Branch Bank of California at Virginia, slight concussion.
Captain Agar, of San Francisco, badly bruised.
L. J. Chase, known at Yankee Jim's as King, leg broken and scalded.
—— Jansen, of Jansen, Bond & Co., scalded and ankle slightly injured.
Robert Barerphyte, chief engineer Yosemite, badly scalded.

In addition to this list there was known to have been twenty or twenty-five Chinamen in the hold of the steamer. Their fate is as yet uncertain, as it was impossible to clear away the wreck before the Chrysopolis took the ill-fated passengers. It is believed there are several of the missing passengers under the ruins of the cabin.

You will readily understand that in the confusion arising from the disaster, it is impossible that this can be a *full* account, as many must have been lost who had no friends or acquaintances on board to tell the tale.

THE STEAMER YOSEMITE.

The injury sustained by the Yosemite is not as yet fully ascertained. The forward cabin is entirely demolished, but the hull is supposed to be uninjured. At the moment of the explosion the safety-valve was blowing off steam under a pressure of twenty-five pounds; the Yosemite's certificate allows thirty five pounds. The steamer had been detained from five to seven minutes at the landing, on account of quarterly settlement with the Postmaster, and had just commenced to back from the landing. The only plausible conjecture which has been given as a cause for explosion, was the rush of passengers to the shore-side, causing a "list," which threw the water too much to one side of the boiler.

THE SCENE OF DEATH AND SUFFERING.

The screams of the victims in the cabin of the Chrysopolis, as I write, are heart-rending in the extreme. In passing from one to another of the beds on the floor, for the purpose of getting names, etc., the sensation was sickening—the saddest duty I ever performed. All that could be done for the sufferers in the absence of physicians has been cheerfully rendered by the officers and attaches of the steamers and the passengers—the ladies giving all the assistance in their power. But we are nearing Sacramento, and I close.

W. W. BARNES.

THE citizens of Red Bluff have dedicated a monument to the memory of Abraham Lincoln by laying the corner at Red Bluff Cemetery. An address was read by M. H. Merrick. The Masons, Odd Fellows, Lassen Rangers and citizens paraded.

AN insane man at Copperopolis got up in the night, proceeded to his neighbor's room and seized him by the neck, scaring the poor man nearly out of his skin. His cries brought assistance, and the madman was secured and taken care of.

THE Marin *Journal* says: Workmen are still hard at it, boring deeper and deeper into the bowels of the earth, on the Joyce farm, Bolinas. The depth attained, we understand, is about 375 feet. They find oil, but not enough to flow.

THE Oakland *News* gives the particulars of a homicide at San Antonio. One Coray, a Frenchman, beat a Scotchman named Kennedy so that he died. Coray is in jail.

JOE KING, a waiter at the Metropolitan hotel, San Andreas, who was in Calaveras jail, awaiting trial, for the murder of a negro, two years ago, broke jail on Monday the 1st inst.

GOV.-GENERAL Beriah Brown is about to start another treason-mill in Solano county. Where's Quattlebum?

A LEDGE of talcose slate, fireproof in character, has been discovered near Copperopolis, and will be invaluable for building purposes.

SETCHELL and the Worrell sisters are running "Uncle Tom's Cabin," "Toodles" and the like, at Marysville.

WE learn that a cavalry soldier was murdered in a dance house in Wilmington, by two or three infantry soldiers.

A CIRCLE of the Fenian Brotherhood was organized at Redwood City, September 24th, when a large number signed the roll.

## EARTHQUAKE IN SAN FRANCISCO.

The natural elements seemed to be seriously disturbed and disordered yesterday, so much so indeed that the very existence of this great city was threatened, and thought that the oft predicted catastrophe of an earthquake which should sink it beneath the waves of the ocean had really come. For three or four days, the weather had been uncommonly warm and the atmosphere hazy. Saturday afternoon there was a sudden change. The air became much colder, clouds appeared, and yesterday morning about 6 o'clock, a violent rain storm, which lasted a considerable length of time, but as the sun rose higher the clouds disappeared, and the weather became refreshingly cool and pleasant; thousands repaired as usual to the churches, while others took the cars to proceed to the various places of amusement outside of the city. Suddenly at 15 minutes to 1 o'clock P. M., the shock of an earthquake startled the entire population. The first shock was only slight, and seemed to proceed from North to South, but it was instantly succeeded by another of tremendous force and violence and crossing the course of the first from East to West, giving a twisting rotary motion; that motion of the disturbed earth which, except the vertical, is always the most destructive to life and property. The last shock continued for over 30 seconds, and resulted disastrously to many buildings in the city. People rushed from their dwellings, from the hotels, and the saloons; almost frantic with fear, expecting the walls of the houses to fall upon them. Hundreds stood fixed as if nailed to the ground; others, men, women and children, ran hither and thither perfectly bewildered and horror struck: while others, with more coolness and presence of mind, hastened to the open places and vacant lots in anticipation of a crash which might bring the whole place in ruins. In this general rush many persons were seriously injured, particularly in the vicinity of the large hotels and some of the churches. The panic was universal, and lasted till the vibrations ceased and it was found that the town had escaped total destruction. Persons who were out of doors states that the first shock was preceded by a kind of rushing or rustling sound, which, as the second shock came, swelled into a deep rumbling sound similar to that of distant thunder. The damage to buildings and property has been immense. Scarcely a brick building can be found which is not more or less shattered, and the walls of others were thrown to the ground. At Hayes' Park and the Mission the shock was equally severe, and much damage resulted to various brick buildings; and the contents of all were injured to a greater or less extent. Furniture and mantel ornaments were broken, and in the groceries, kegs, cans, sacks and bottles tumbled about in great confusion. The house of Engine Company No. 13, at the Mission, it is said, sustained serious damage, and a beautiful slope was given to numberless sand hills where excavations have recently been made and abrupt banks left standing. Railroad cars were lifted off the tracks in some places and started ahead on their ways at the several depots. The engine of No. 5 made its way to the door as if impelled by some mysterious agency manning its ropes. Many persons were thrown from their seats and rolled from their beds; plastering fell and windows were shivered to atoms. Chimneys tumbled down, and the steeples swung like mighty pendulums. Nearly half of the west front of Pepper's new brick building at the corner of Mission and Third streets fell, but, providentially no person happened to be passing it at that time. The structure is a slight one for a brick building, the walls thin and very high with insufficient stays and supports. The roof of the frame building adjoining was smashed in by the falling of the wall.

Large quantities of plaster fell from the ceiling of the isolated three story brick building at the corner of Howard and Third; Colton's new front building, at the corner of Tehama and Third, and all along the line of Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth and Sixth streets to the Bay. On the line of Howard street the earth yawned in many places, till it seemed that the railroad track would fall into it, but closed up again, leaving only a trace. Several wells in this part of the city were suddenly dried up, and others, adjacent filled to overflowing. In one lot, in the vicinity of Sixth street, water suddenly burst up from the ground a distance of three or four feet, and continued to flow till the vibrations ceased, when it disappered. This part of the city rests for the most part on very unstable foundations. A few years since while the lands were being graded with sand from the hills, millions of tons of it disappeared as soon as placed there, and whole blocks in the vicinity were raised up, and the buildings on them thrown into almost every conceivable position. Most of the houses are of wood consequently were shaking can do them but little harm. Metcalf & Co.'s mill at corner of Mission and Fremont streets, was considerably damaged, the machinery displaced, the walls sunk in places, in others raised and tumbled about. It will take a long time to put it in running order again. Other establishments in this part of the city suffered severely. The lofty shot tower on First street stood like a rock, but swaying in the air as if ready to topple to its fall. People in the vicinity gave it a wide berth.

The City Hall may be considered a standing wreck. It is shattered from foundation to tower. The rear wall, bounded on Dunbar alley, is thrown out of a perpendicular and separated, at the top, clear from the side walls a distance of about two inches. The front wall, facing Kearney street, is in the same condition, except that it stands out from the side walls over three inches at the top, while the side walls on Washington street, stands out of a perpendicular in a very dangerous manner. The loss suffered there may be estimated at the cost of the building itself. The portion of it which was formerly the Union Hotel stood the shock better than the rest of it. The fire-wall of the building at the corner of Stout's Alley and Jackson Street fell with a crash, and buried two Chinamen beneath the ruins. Both were seriously injured—one so much that he is not likely to recover. In Starr King's church, Geary street, a portion of the organ was lifted off or broken, and the walls of the church are considerably shattered.

At St. Mary's Cathedral, a lady was thrown down and had one of her legs broken during the rush of the people to get out of the place. Quite a number of women and children were hurt in the same way at Vallejo Street Church. The panic at many other churches was great but no very serious damages resulted to any of them beyond the cracking of walls and the falling of plastering from the ceilings. The bell on the City Hall sounded a voluntary alarm for station No. 3 which would have answered for every district in the city as well as that one. All the clocks in the City Hall stopped instantly; pointing the commencement of the shock. The custom-house was badly shattered large pieces of solid granite being broken off its foundation. Montgomery Block building was extensively cracked and broken up in the interior, and many windows along Montgomery street were destroyed, also along the line of Washington and Kearney streets. The wharves swayed to and fro as if about to tumble into the water. On Long Bridge a gentleman was thrown off his feet, and saw the piles of brick and lumber near him fall over. The walls of the American Exchange Hotel are badly injured and great quantities of plastering fell from its ceilings. The new triangular building at the corner of Market and Second and Third streets, stood firmly, being new, and well-constructed.

Many persons were seriously injured by jumping from windows to escape. Mr. Greeley, employed in the editorial department of the *Flag*, leaped from the window of his room to the roof of a building in the rear, a distance of about fifteen feet, and sustained painful injuries—a fractured shoulder and sprained ankle. A man sprang across a court at the Occidental House, from the window of his room to the roof of a adjacent building level with it, a distance of about 12½ feet, and was unable to walk across the plank which was laid across for him to return upon. Another individual rushed into the street with only a cutty flannel skirt on; gazed about in perfect horror till he thought of his flight and rushed as frantically back to a place of concealment. Many others betrayed by their fear to commit similar indiscretions. The building in which the *Flag* editorial and composition rooms are located was badly shaken. The walls poured down showers and avalanches of plaster. A tall chimney in the rear threatened to fall and a large brace was driven square into its side, cutting it almost in two. Sacramento street especially suffered, a large number of buildings on it extending from Battery to Kearny street being damaged. The whole fire wall on Gray's undertaking establishment, corner of Webb and Sacramento streets, fell with a tremendous crash, filling Webb street with brick. The walls of the building were also badly cracked. The fronts of the stores of Fechheimer, Goodkind & Co., and L. & M. Sachs, two story buildings between Sansome and Leidesdorf streets, were seriously cracked and a number of bricks were thrown down from the latter. The walls of a large two-story building corner of Sacramento and Front are bellied out in the center nearly two feet from the perpendicular, while other buildings below it are nearly a foot out of plumb from the top. The buildings along the whole street in this vicinity being thrown out of position; many of them will require extensive reparations, if not rebuilding. The fire-wall from Weil & Levy's stationery store, corner of Battery and Sacramento streets, also tumbled into the street.

A large two story brick at the corner of Davis and California streets was seriously injured, almost one entire corner falling down, and the walls being dangerously cracked. The walls of Trainer's block on Kearney street, between Post and Sutter the front of which fell down a few weeks since but which had been substantially repaired, were cracked. Out of the large hotels people rushed with frantic haste, crowding into the middle of the street, undecided in which direction to go or whither to turn for safety. These extensive and substantial structures, however, the Occidental, Ross, Cosmopolitan and Lick Houses stood the shock well, none of them being damaged so far as we could learn. The horses attached to carriages standing front of the hotels were very much frightened, some of them shaking like aspen leaves, and it was necessary to hold them by their bits to prevent them from running away.—*Flag.*


MOTHERS OF OUR LAND, are you suffering from Debility, Nervousness, Palpitations, Weaknesses, Flows Loss of appetite Costive, Dyspeptic, Pain in the Back, Fainting, Sick Headache, Goneness? If so delay no longer, but take LE DOYEN'S SARSAPARILLA, IODINE ALTERATIVE, it will infuse new life into your blood and vem. Crane & Brigham agents. Sold here by Dr. D. W. Strong.


☞ THE Union men of San Francisco held a large and enthusiastic mass meeting in that city on Wednesday evening last, at which speeches were made by Gov. Low, Dr. Rowell, Senator Stewart and others.

A HUMAN skeleton was found in Lake Valley, El Dorado county, recently, by some surveyors. Believed to be a suicide, says the *Mirror.*

THE flouring mills of Santa Clara county are now turning out fifteen hundred barrels of flour per day.

## DIVINE SERVICE.

UNION CHURCH.—There will be preaching at the Union Church to-morrow at half past ten o'clock, A. M., and half-past seven o'clock, P. M., by Rev. J. A. Johnson.

Sabbath School at the Union Church at half-past one o'clock, P. M.

M. E. CHURCH.—Preaching every Sunday at half-past ten, A. M., and at half-past seven, P. M. All are invited to attend.

Sabbath School and Bible Class at the Church at half-past ten o'clock, P. M.

## POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

☞ We are authorized to announce the name of

ALBERT E. REDSTONE,

As an Independent Union candidate for the office of Justice of the Peace of Township No. 4. Subject to the decision of the people at the ballot box.


HATS! HATS!! HATS!!!

If you want a

A FINE HAT A GOOD HAT,

OR A

CHEAP HAT!

Go where they keep the largest and best assorted stock, which is at

MEUSSDORFFER'S
HAT AND CAP MANUFACTORY,
125 J Street, between Fourth and Fifth,
SACRAMENTO
se30 tf

Excelsior Gold and Silver Mining Company, Excelsior District, Nevada County.

NOTICE.—There is delinquent upon the following described stock of the above named Company, on account of assessments, levied August 23d, 1865, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective shareholders, as follows:

| Names. | No. Cert. | No. Shares. | Am't. |
|---|---|---|---|
| William Swan | 14 | 6 | $1 20 |
| W. H. Thomas | 15 | 15 | 2 80 |
| A. Wedemeyer | 16 | 10 | 2 00 |

And in accordance with the laws of the State of California and an order of the Board of Trustees, made on 7th day of October, 1865, so many shares of each parcel of said stock as may be necessary will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, in United States gold coin, in front of the office of the Company, in Dutch Flat, Placer county, on the first day of November, 1865, at 12 o'clock, M., to pay said delinquent assessments, together with the costs of advertising and expenses of sale.

JOHN MEYER, Secretary.
Office, Main street, Dutch Flat.
Oct. 13 tds

B. F. MOORE, BANKER.
(SUCCESSOR TO HALL & ALLEN.)
GOLD RUN AND DUTCH FLAT.

Will attend to collections, procure Eastern and European exchanges, drawn by Wells, Fargo & Co., or others.
General or Special Deposits received, and transact a general banking business.
Having an assay office connected with the Dutch Flat branch, I am enabled to pay every quality of Gold Dust and pay the highest relative price.
Also agent of Wells, Fargo & Co.'s express, Pioneer Stage Co., and Phœnix (of Hartford) Insurance Co. Oct 8-3m

NOTICE.

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I HAVE IN MY possession a small dark iron gray horse, branded on the right hip with III four inches long, with left hind foot, and is between three and four years old. The said horse is supposed to have been stolen. The owner is requested to come forward, prove property, take it away, or it will be dealt with according to law. The horse can be seen at any time by calling at FLETCHER'S STATION, 34 miles above Dutch Flat.
se30-1m

FAMILY GROCERY STORE,
UNDER MASONIC HALL,
MAIN STREET, DUTCH FLAT, CALIFORNIA.

THANKFUL FOR THE PATRONAGE HERETOfore bestowed upon him, respectfully announces that he continues to keep on hand a full assortment of

Family and Miners' Groceries,
Can and Preserved Fruits,
Oysters, Lobsters and Sardines,
Fresh Vegetables, all kinds,
Powder, Fuse and Nails,
Crockery, Earthen and Tinware,

With every other article for family use, which he is prepared to sell at prices that cannot fail to satisfy. Every accommodation afforded to customers.
my27tf G. S. MAKER.


Washington G. S. & M. Company, Meadow Lake District, Nevada County.

NOTICE is hereby given that at a meeting of the Trustees of the above named Company, held on the 12th day of September, 1865, an assessment of twenty-five cents per share was levied upon the capital stock of said company, payable immediately, in United States gold coin, to the Secretary, at his office in Dutch Flat, Placer county, California. Any stock upon which said assessment shall remain unpaid on the 7th day of October, 1865, will be advertised on that day as delinquent, and unless payment shall be made before, will be sold on Thursday the 26th day of October, 1865, to pay said delinquent assessment together with the costs of advertising and expenses of sale.

By order of the Trustees.
Sept. 13, 1865. 1m JOHN DAMSGUARD, Secretary.


50,000 CIGARS at wholesale at BURCKHALTER'S

EVERY DESCRIPTION OF PLAIN AND ORNAMENTAL PRINTING done at this office.


## UNITED STATES 7-30 LOAN.

BY AUTHORITY OF THE SECRETARY OF THE Treasury, the undersigned has assumed the General Subscription Agency for the sale of United States Treasury Notes, bearing seven and three-tenths per cent. interest per annum, known as the

SEVEN-THIRTY LOAN.

These Notes are issued for [illegible] and

GOLD BEARING BONDS

These bonds are now worth a premium of nine per cent. including gold interest from November, which makes the actual profit on the 7-30 loan at current rates, including interest, about 10 per cent. per annum, besides its EXEMPTION FROM STATE AND MUNICIPAL TAXATION, WHICH ADDS FROM ONE TO THREE PER CENT. MORE, according to the rate levied on other property. The interest is payable in currency semi-annually, by coupons attached to each note which may be cut off and sold to any bank or banker.

The interest amounts to
One cent per day on a $50 note.
Two cents per day on a $100 note.
Ten cents per day on a $500 note.
Twenty cents per day on a $1,000 note.
One dollar per day on a $5,000 note.

Notes of all denominations named will be promptly furnished upon receipt of subscriptions. This is

THE ONLY LOAN IN MARKET

now offered by the Government, and it is confidently expected that its superior advantages will make it the

Great Popular Loan of the People.

Less than $300,000,000 of the loan authorized by the last Congress, are now on the market.

This amount at the rate at which it is being absorbed, will all be subscribed for within four months, when the notes will undoubtedly command a premium, as has uniformly been the case on closing the subscriptions to other Loans.

In order that citizens of every town and section of the country may be afforded facilities for taking the loans, the National Bank, State Banks, and Private Bankers throughout the country have generally agreed to receive subscriptions at par. Subscribers will select their own agents, in whom they have confidence, and who only are to be responsible for the delivery of the notes for which they receive orders.

JAY COOKE,
Subscription Agent, Philadelphia.
March 25, 1865. ma6 3m2p

ADDENDUM.

PER OVERLAND TELEGRAPH:

PHILADELPHIA, May 17th, 1865.

2d Series all sold. Commenced on third Series. Two Hundred and Thirty Millions (230,000,000) precisely like other two Series, except dated 15th July, and Government reserves the right to pay six per cent. in Gold instead of 7-30 Currency.

JAY COOKE,
Subscription Agent, Philadelphia.


GROCESIES AND PROVISIONS.

LAMP CHIMNEYS, All sizes;
" BURNERS, "
" FOUNTS, "
" WICKS, "
" SHADES, etc.,
my27tf at BURCKHALTER'S.

CALIFORNIA POWDER AGENCY.

I HAVE THE AGENCY OF THE EUREKA POWDER COMPANY for the following places:
Dutch Flat, Gold Run, Little York, You Bet, Red Dog, etc.
Merchants wishing Eureka Powder will be furnished at Agents' rates, and freight from San Francisco.
my27tf F. BURKHALTER.

NAILS,
Miners' Tools,
Hardware,
Blasting Powder,
Tin Ware,
And a genera assortment of
Family Groceries and Provisions, at
my27tf BURCKHALTER'S.

CROCKERY, GLASS AND STONE-WARE, AT Wholesale, at
my27tf BURCKHALTER'S.

SAZERAC BRANDY—OLD BRAND—AT wholesale, at
my27tf BURCKHALTER'S.

OLD RYE AND BOURBON WHISKEY—Pure article, at wholesale, at
my27tf BURCKHALTER'S.

KEROSENE STAND LAMPS,
HANG LAMPS,
BRACKET LAMPS,
At Wholesale, at my27tf BURCKHALTER'S.

KEROSENE OIL,
Castor Oil,
Neat's Foot Oil,
Boiled Oil,
Raw Oil,
Turpentine,
Window Glass,
Window Sash,
White Lead
my27tf at BURCKHALTER'S.


RATTLESNAKE GOLD AND SILVER MINING COMPANY.—Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Trustees of said Company held on the 7th of September, an assessment of fifteen (15) cents per share was levied on the Capital stock of said Company, payable to the Secretary, at the office of the company in Dutch Flat, Placer county, California. Any stock upon which said assessment shall remain unpaid on the 12th of October, 1865, will be advertised on that day as delinquent, and unless payment shall be made on or before, will be sold on Wednesday, the 25th day of October, 1865, to pay delinquent assessment, together with cost of advertising and expenses of sale.

T. J. NICHOLS, Sec'y.
Dutch Flat, Sept. 8, 1865.

Union Gold and Silver Mining Company, Excelsior District.

NOTICE is hereby given that at a meeting of the Board of Trustees of said Company held on Monday, the 14th day of August, 1865, an assessment of One Dollar ($1) per share was levied upon each and every share of the capital stock of said Company, payable on or before the 14th day of Sept., 1865, to the Secretary in United States gold coin, at his office in Dutch Flat, Placer county. Any stock on share upon which said assessment shall remain unpaid on the 14th day of Sept., 1865, will be advertised on that day as delinquent, and unless payment shall be made before, will be sold on the 20th day of September, 1865, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale.

E. B. BOUST, Sec'y.
Dutch Flat, Aug. 14, 1865. td

At a meeting of the Board of Trustees, held on the 2d day of October, it was ordered that the above notice be published for one month additional, from the 7th day of October to the 7th day of November. All stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the 7th of November, will be sold to pay the delinquent assessment and cost of sale.
oct4td E. B. BOUST, Sec'y.

# DUTCH FLAT ENQUIRER.

### UNION COUNTY CENTRAL COMMITTEE.

D. L. ALLEN.....Township No. 1
G. D. ALDRICH.....Township No. 2
WM. SEXTON.....Township No. 3
E. B. BOUST.....Township No. 4
A. G. READ.....Township No. 5
B.D. BURT.....Township No. 6
M. H. POWER.....Township No. 7
H. S. REEDER.....Township No. 8
J. T. KINCAID.....Township No. 9
M. WALDRON.....Township No. 10
JAMES E. HALE.....County at Large,
N. W. BLANCHARD.....County at Large.

### LETTER FROM SUMMIT CITY.

SUMMIT CITY, Cal., Oct. 12, 1865.

EDITOR ENQUIRER:—"Circumstances over which I exercised no control," viz: a violent attack of Quartz on the brain, have conspired to prevent an earlier compliance with the promise that I would write you of the indications, hereabouts. Indeed, I should not now attempt it did I not know that your special correspondent, "Quid Nunc," he that hath located all the extensions together with dips, angles, spurs and variations, on a certain crinoline ledge that crops out in the vicinity of the Excelsior Mine—was non est. Speaking of this notable absentee reminds me of the departure of many others of equal renown, among whom may be enumerated, Ex-Governor, now Senator, Nye, of Nevada, Whistling-Dick, Dough-Nut Bill, Poker Dan, Big-mouth Frenchy and your racy, though at times somewhat personal correspondent, "Occasional." To the above list may also be added many "honest miners," who seek more congenial chimes for the coming winter. Just here, permit me to digress while I say that with the reputation your town bears abroad, for its superior mining resources, pretty women and fat babies, that I do not consider it a violent assertion to say it will catch the major part of the latter class. However, notwithstanding the near approach of winter, we have a few arrivals almost every day, and it is no unusual thing to see wagons loaded with cooking stoves, women and children and all such worthless traps,—[the wretch-Ed.]—wending their way into our flourishing town. I noted the other day a two-hundred pound negress aboard of one of these "wehicles." This dusky wenus is the first "American lady of african decent" that has honored these diggings with a call.

Snow is king, at this attitude, and those who recognize the fact are making preparations accordingly. For the last week the weather has been very unsettled, rain and snow alternately, and at one time the snow actually attained a depth of seven inches. About that time, I presume it was, that a friend of ours, more noted for his wit than money, was heard to remark that he believed there were but two seasons in this region and they were divided as follows: nine months winter and three months *very late* in the fall.

Many improvements in the way of building are still being made. Two Saw and one Quartz Mill are in full blast, others approaching completion; miners all busy, and taken all in all, an air of stability and prosperity is imparted that I have never seen surpassed, if equalled, in any country. Capt. Hardy's fine new grade from Webber's is completed, Head & Co., trail connecting with the Dutch Flat and Donner Lake road at or near Heaton's is thrown open, and I understand that the work on the Bear Valley route is being pushed forward, which, when completed, will make this place easy of access by three routes.

Our City boasts sundry and divers good Hotels, at any of which, may be had all the necessaries of life. One thing, however, our Hotel keepers have sadly neglected, and that is their sleeping apartments. They usually huddle from fifty to a hundred men in one room or coral, half of whom, perhaps, have not washed their feet for a month, and as may be readily imagined the odor emitted to sensitive olfactories, is positively intolerable,—more so that, I have been "thar" and he that can conjecture the mingled fragrance arising from a compound of dead Kanakas, Limburger cheese and second handed Hospital poultices, will appreciate my opinion of rats.

But will I never come to the mines? Who's business is it if I don't? Am I writing this letter, or is it you? This is my funeral and I am going to mone the hearse along at a pace that will be agreeable to the corpse and chief mourner. Well the mines goes, and as there are so many good ones, it would be invidious to speak of them in other than general terms. My opinion, then, supported by five years experience in the various mines and districts of the State of Nevada, is this; that the Meadow Lake country is the richest and most extensive Gold and Silver bearing quartz region yet discovered. The Excelsior mine, is considered by most persons, the "bamboo" claim of the district, but an opinion prevails among practical miners, which is shared in by your correspondent, that the management of the company affairs is entrusted to incompetent hands. The "Pewterinctum" is another good claim—the main ledge of the District, all others being simply "spurs" and is owned and controlled by solely Mr. and Mrs. Quitman. But enough of mines. The Plaza difficulty is settled, the Hurdies have left town, Judge A. M. Walker, the "great Constitutional Democrat" is a candidate for Justice of the Peace, with fair prospects of an election, if he gets votes enough, and "hoping these few lines will find you enjoying the same blessing."

I am, very truly,
QUITMAN.

IS H. H. HARTLEY A CITIZEN?—This question is becoming a matter of considerable importance, not because of anything which Mr. Hartley has heretofore done, but his present position, that of being the nominee of a party for one of the highest places in the gift of the people of the State. Surely if he has a right to hold the office for which he is now a candidate, the Copperheads, his friends, would give such information as would set this matter at rest. Apart from his being an English Copperhead, which, provided he is *not* a citizen, he probably had a right to be, claiming protection from her Majesty's government alone—our people should know whether he is vested with the rights to hold office of honor and trust under our government. The Democratic party has indeed deteriorated to be put to the humiliating necessity of nominating a man for office who is not legally entitled to hold it. Shade of Jefferson defend us from these polluters of the mighty principles inaugurated by thee! We find the following in the Sacramento *Union* of the 11th. Let those who have persistently refused to aid the Government under which they have been protected in their rights, by word or deed, now choose where they will cast their votes, for we presume could Mr. Hartley's friends prove that he was a citizen they would certainly do so:

Sometime early in 1851 Hartley was appointed by Governor McDougall, County Judge of Yolo county. He "qualified" and took his seat. In October of the same year, at the general election, he was elected Judge by the voters of the county and held the office until 1854. On the 26th of July, 1853, he took a notion to become an American citizen. Having occupied the Bench of Yolo more than two years, he concluded to venture a little further and take the oath of allegiance. On the day named, and on the testimony of S. J. Thomas and F. Johnson he was admitted to citizenship, in the County Court of Sacramento county, by Judge Willis. Two days afterward, on the 28th day of July, and for several days afterward, Hartley occupied Willis' seat on the Sacramento bench. Naturilization by the County Court was, of course, without legal weight, as the Supreme Court decided soon afterward. It is reported that Hartley was subsequently naturalized in the United States Circuit Court. On this point we are not informed. It is certain that, so far as the official records of this portion of the State go, he is not and never has been a citizen of the United States. If naturalized elsewhere, it will of course by an easy matter for his friends and party to designate specifically the time and place.

## DISSOLUTION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the copartnership heretofore existing and known under the style and name of Lambard & Giles, was dissolved by mutual consent on October 10th, 1865. H. Lambard is authorized to collect all bills and receipt for the same, and pay all outstanding indebtedness of the old firm.

October 10, 1864. 1m
H. LUMBARD,
J. GILES.

## NOTICE.

AT a meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Excelsior Consolidated Gold and Silver Mining Company held on the 7th day of October, 1865, the following order was ordered for publication: That the sale of Tennessee Carriger, William Jackson, and A. Wedemeyer stock, sold on the 18th day of July, 1865, was illegal and therefore null and void. The following is a list issued for the stock sold out that day:

| NUMBER. | SHARES. |
|---|---|
| 141 | 40 |
| 144 | 75 |
| 146 | 50 |
| 148 | 25 |
| 150 | 25 |
| 165 | 100 |
| 166 | 30 |

Any person having any of the above numbers of certificates in their possession are requested to return the same to the Secretary. Also, those having paid assessments on any of the above numbers of certificates can call at the office of the Secretary and the money will be refunded.

By order of the Board.
JOHN MEYER, Secretary.

Dutch Flat, Oct. 12, 1865. 1m

## List of Letters

Remaining unclaimed in the Post Office at Dutch Flat, Placer County, California, October 1st, 1865.

AYMAR, Mrs. E.
BOWKER, Henry
Brown, Mrs. Jennie
Burke Wm. A.
Brink, Dr. Wm. B.
CARTER, GEO.
Carpenter, N. F.
Chapman, Roswell
Chase, E. P.
DANE, I.
Davis, A. H.
Dunn, J. C.
Dopkins, Rush
Davis, Wm.
FORD, S. E.
Fenton, Thomas
Forman, N.
Files, N. G.
Ferse, Dick.
Frick, J. B.
GOULIONDS, F.
Grazer, August
HATHAWAY, D. F.
Hanes, S. A.
Helling, Henry
Helling, Mrs. O.
Harden, D. M.
2 KESKETS, D.
LEACH, M. F.
Lee, C. O.
Lincoln, Joshua
Luelling, H. W.
MAY, GEO.
Montpleasure J. B
Murphy, James
Mallfour, Mrs.
Millen, Mrs. A
Munday Mich.
Miller, Harrison
Miller, Daniel,
Markice, J.
Monks, M. M.
NERVAIL, RICH'D.
PRATT, Mrs. R. H.
Paine, H. F.
Pitter, James A.
Parsons, Wm.
ROACH, MICHAEL,
Roberts, Wm.
QUINTON, Miss E.
Quinton, S.
STEFFEN, Wm. J.
Saul, C.
Shirley, Mrs. J. 2
Smith, R. B.
Stewart, Mrs. Tirze,
TINKER, J. A.
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J. H. BOKE, P. M.


## JUST RECEIVED!

### DR. D. W. STRONG,
**Druggist and Pharmaceutist,**
MAIN STREET, DUTCH FLAT.

HAS JUST RECEIVED AT THE DUTCH FLAT Drug Store, a large and well selected stock of
FRESH DRUGS,
MEDICINES,
CHEMICALS,
ESSENTIAL OILS,
ECLECTIC AND PATENT MEDICINES,
TRUSSES,
SUSPENSARIES,
HAIR OILS,
PERFUMERY,
COMBS,
BRUSHES,
STATIONERY,
FINE CIGARS,
TOBACCO, etc. etc.
Also:
WHITE LEAD,
PAINT OILS,
GLASS, PUTTY,
VARNISHES and
TURPENTINE.

Besides a large assortment of COAL OIL, Lamps, and Kerosene Lamp Chimneys,
All of which will be disposed of
**Cheap for Cash.**

Cheaper than any other establishment in the county.

All the goods are of the best quality, and have been selected with the greatest care, and purchasers can therefore rely upon obtainining a good article at a less otse than a poor article would be sold for elsewhere. CALL AND SEE.

**Family Groceries.**

Of the choicest quality, such as cannot be found at any other place in town, for sale cheap.

In connection with the above, I intend keeping on hand at all times a good assortment of
**Fine Watches and Jewelry.**
Which will be sold at lower prices than can be bought else where in the State. aprltf

## UNCLE SAM SALOON,
(One door above Dr. Strong's Drug Store)
**Main Street, Dutch Flat, California.**

SAM SWANSON begs leave to inform the public that he has always the best
**Wines, Liquors, Syrups and Cigars,**
that can be purchased below, and invites those partial to pleasant beverages to give him a call. fe11-tf

## PLACER BUTCHER SHOP.
**Corner of Sacramento and Main streets,**
**Dutch Flat, Cal.**

THE UNDERSIGNED, having purchased this Favorite Market, will keep always on hand the best
**Beef, Pork, Mutton and Home-made Sausage,**
Which will be supplied to customers at the lowest market rates. Every accommodation guaranteed to the public.
April 8, 1865. tf CONRAD ROTH.

## PLACER BREWERY.
**Corner of Main and Sacramento Streets.**

FRED. GROHS.....PROPLIETOR.

THE PROPRIETOR DESIRES TO INFORM THE public that he continues to brew
**Lager Beer of the Best Quality,**
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## A. S. HALLIDIE & CO.

WIRE ROPE MANUFACTURERS, No. 112 CLAY STREET, SAN FRANCISCO.

Mining Companies, and others using rope, are informed that Wire Rope is Stronger, More Durable and Very Much Cheaper than any other kind of Rope, and it is not affected by atmospheric changes. We manufacture of every length and size.

**Round Wire Rope.**
Of IRON and STEEL, for hoisting purposes, Ferry Ropes and Derrick Guys.

**Steel Wire Rope.**
For Small Gear, for DERRICK FALL ROPES, very Durable and Light, with Suitable Blocks.

**Flat Wire Rope,**
For Hoisting from mines. Small sizes for Pump Belts. GALVANIZED IRON WIRE ROPE, for Stays and Guys. IRON AND COPPER WIRE CORD, for Hanging Window Sashes—Signal Cords, etc.

☞ And would refer to the many Companies who are using our Ropes, throughout California and the adjoining States. List of prices with strengths, &c., forwarded on application to the manufacturers. Oct8-6mls

## 75,000
## MACHINES SOLD IN TWO YEARS.

Singer Manufacturing Co.
SEWING MACHINES,
139
Montgomery Street, San Francisco.

Notice.—The Singer Machine is the only Machine that will sew all kinds of cloth with all kinds of thread.

The almost incredible increase in the sale of the Singer Machine during the past two years is owing to the popularity of the letter A transverse shuttle Family Machine, which was introduced in 1860, since which time it has earned and established a reputation for family uses equal to the celebrated manufacturing machines of this firm, which are generally acknowledged by dealers in other sewing Machines to be unequalled for such purposes.

☞ NO OTHER Family Sewing Machine has such perfect and improved appliances for Ruffling, Hemming, Binding, Felling, Tucking, Gathering, Gauging, Braiding, Cording, Quilting, etc.

☞ All persons requiring information about our Sewing Machines, their sizes, prices, working capacities, and the best method of purchasing, can obtain it by sending for a cypy of the
**Singer Manufacturing Company's Illustrated Pamphlet**
Which is entirely devoted to the subject. It will be sent gratis, free of charge.

LOCAL AGENTS IN EVERY TOWN.
WILLIAM BRODERICK,
pet-5mls General Agt for the Singer Manuf'g Co.


## DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, &c.

### COMPETITION DEFIED!
**NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!!**

### ADLER & HUDEPOHL,
**STONE STORE, Main Street, Dutch Flat.**

HAVING JUST RETURNED FROM SAN FRANcisco where they purchased a large assortment of Ladies' and Gentlemen's
**FURNISHING GOODS,**
Would respectfully call the attention of the Ladies and Gentlemen of this place, to their large Assortment. They are determined not to be undersold, and will endeavor to keep
**THE BEST GOODS**
That can be obtained in the market, both FOREIGN and DOMESTIC. They have at present every description of
**FANCY DRY GOODS, and GENTLEMEN'S FURNISHING GOODS!**
Call and examine for yourselves. Our MOTTO is to PLEASE. apr-29-tf

### NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!!
CORNER OF STOCKTON AND MAIN STREETS.

### L. WURSBURG & BRO.

RESPECTFULLY ANNOUNCE TO THE PEOPLE of Dutch Flat and neighboring places that they are prepared to open their fine assortment of
**Fancy and Staple Dry-Goods,**
At the corner of Main and Stockton streets, two doors above the Dutch Flat Hotel, where they invite all, especially the Ladies, to call and examine their really superi stock of
**Ladies' Furnishing Goods,**
Together with an excellent stock of Gentlemen's Goods,
**Hats, Boots and Shoes,**
Of every description, and of the latest styles, cheap.
☞ Call in at the New Store. my13tf

### NEW ARRANGEMENT.
**GENTLEMEN'S FURNISHING GOODS!**
HENRY LE CAMP,

DESIRES TO INFORM FHIS RIENDS AND THE public that having purchased the interest of his late partner, Mr. R. Hudepohl, he has just received from below a splendid lot of
**Gentlemen's Clothing,**
Consisting of Entire Suits, Hats, Boots, Undershirts, Handkerchiefs,
and every article necessary for a gentleman's wardrobe. Also, a large assortment of
**Ladies' and Misses' Shoes,**
Which he will sell as cheap as can be bought. He warrants all articles. Call and examine for yourselves.
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### SAN FRANCISCO STORE.

THE SUBSCRIBERS MOST RESPECTFULLY INform the citizens Dutch of Flat and vicinity that they have opened their Store, two doors above Burckhalter's store, and herewith solicit a share of patronage.

Our Store will always be found well stocked with the choicest brands of
**CIGARS AND TOBACCOS,**
Fine French Brandies, Wines and Domestic Liquors;
Case Liquors of all descriptions;
Crockery and Glass-ware;
Kerosene and Kerosene Lamps;
A good assortment of
Wall Paper, Window Shades, etc.,
Besides a large assortment of all kinds of
Fancy Goods, Stationery, etc.

We shall endeavor to conduct our business so as to please and satisfy our patrons in every manner, and while our business shall be guided by the motto of
**"Quick Sales and Small Profits,"**
we expect to share the patronage of the public.
☞ Please give us a call.
A. FRANKLIN & CO.
Dutch Flat, June 24, 1865. tf

### BOOKS, STATIONARY, CIGARS,
—AT THE—
**POSTOFFICE NEWS DEPOT.**

THE SUBSCRIBER HAVING PURCHASED THE interest of his former partner, Mr. Gross, has just returned from San Francisco where he purchased a full assortment of the
**Best Havana Cigars,**
**Finest Chewing Tobacco,**
**Genuine Meerschaum Pipes,**
School and Miscellaneous Books,
Blank Books and Stationary,
Of every description and price. A very excellent assortment of
**Fine Cutlery, Guns, Pistols, and Gold Pens,**
Together with a fine supply of
**Toilette Articles, Perfumes, Etc.,**
all of which he is prepared to sell at prices that defy competion—for cash. Give me a call in your wanderings.
ma6 tf JOHN H. BOKE.

### MASON & WHITE,
**GOLD RUN, PLACER COUNTY,**
Dealers in
**GENERAL MERCHANDISE,**
Have just opened a fine stock of
**Ladies Dress Goods and Trimmings,**
**Calicos, Sheetings,**
**BOOTS AND SHOES, CLOTHING,**
MATRASSES, &c.
And we would call attention to our stock of
**Groceries,**
**Provisions,**
**Hardware,**
**Cutlery, Liquors,**
**TOBACCO, &c, &c..**
Which we offer at very low figures for CASH.
We wish it distinctly understood that we have not adopted
**A NEW PRINCIPLE**
in our weights and measures, for we have taken pains to get those of a lawful standard at the commencement
☞ All goods we sell will be warranted and delivered free of charge.
We respectfully solicit a share of public patronage.

### DUTCH FLAT BAKERY.
SOUTH SIDE OF MAIN STREET.

HENRY RUNKLE.....PROPRIETOR.

THE PROPRIETOR OF THIS OLD ESTABlished Bakery tenders his thanks to the citizens of Dutch Flat and neighborhood for the very liberal and generous patronage heretofore bestowed and assures them that he will endeavor to keep up the reputation of his establishment.
**Fresh Bread, Cakes and Pies**
always on hand. He is also prepared to furnish to families and miners every Saturday with
**Fresh Brown Bread.**
Persons wishing it fresh will please leave their orders.
jan10-v4-tf

### NEW ARRANGEMENT.
**THEODORE SCHUBERT & CO.,**
**BOOT AND SHOE MANUFACTURERS,**
MAIN STREET, OPPOSITE THE BREWERY.

HAVING MADE ARRANGEMENTS BY which they are enabled to manufacture
**BOOTS AND SHOES**
Almost as low as they can be purchased in the stores, desire to inform the citizens of Dutch Flat and surrounding places that they will manufacture
**Gents' Fine Dress Boots,**
Of the best quality, and from $8 to $12, and
**All Work Guaranteed.**
We have received a lot of the New Patent Lasts, and gentlemen troubled with corns can have Boots made in such a manner as will secure them ease and comfort
REPAIRING DONE in the best manner, as usual.
☞ Those in want of anything in our line are hereby requested to call. my27tf

### WOOD AND COAL FOR SALE.

A LARGE QUANTITY OF SPRUCE, OAK AND PINE WOOD, delivered in quantities to suit purchasers. Also on hand about
**1000 Bushels of Charcoal,**
Which will be sold on reasonable terms. All orders left with O. N. SWIFT, at the Dime Store, will receive prompt attention. jy1 1m

## HOTELS AND SALOONS.

### DUTCH FLAT HOTEL.
**Corner of Main and Stockton Streets.**

THE Proprietor of this well established and First Class Hotel respectfully announces to the public generally that he has completed his arrangements whereby he is prepared to accommodate ALL who may favor him with a call with the best accommodations.

**The Hotel Table,**
Will constantly be supplied with the delicacies of the season, combining he game and fish of the mountains with the best fruit and vegetables of the valleys.

**The Bedrooms**
In this hotel are large and well ventilated, and particular attention pale to the bedding and bedrom furniture, and the general comfort of guests.

**The Pioneer Company's Stages**
Stop at this Hotel twice a day, on their way to and from Virginie City. The Proprietor tenders his thanks for the patronage heretofore conferred on the house and will endeavor to merit a continuance of the same. my19 64-tf

### NATIONAL HOTEL,
**Main Street, Dutch Flat, California.**

J. M. GAROUTTE.....PROPRIETOR

THE subscriber having leased the above establishment, respectfully announces to the public that he intends to keep the house in a manner which will warrant the satisfaction of those who may favor him with a call. Knowing the wants of the public he will keep the people supplied with the best viands. His accommodations are such that cannot fail to meet the demand of those who know the comforts of
**Clean Beds and Well Aired Rooms.**
Attending strictly to the management of the house personally he will endeavor to render ALL favoring him with their patronage, comfortable.
The house has been thoroughly renovated, being plastered throughout, and the rooms large and airy, will make it one of the most desirable houses to stop at the mountains.
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### HACKETT'S HOTEL,
**Main Sfeet, Gold Run, Pacer County.**

HENRY HACKETT.....PROPRIETOR.

HAVING ALMOST COMPLETED HIS fine and commodious building which is in progress of being furnished entire with new and convenient furniture, the proprietor of the above named house is enabled to offer
**BETTER ACCOMMODATIONS**
to the traveling public than can be obtained elsewhere in the town, and from his long experience in catering to the wants of the public he flatters himself that he can render entire satisfaction to all who may favor him with a call.
**THE CULINARY DEPARTMENT**
Being under the supervision of an experienced and accomplished cook patrons can rely upon having at all times the best the market affords.
**THE BAR**
Will be always stocked with the best Wines, Liquors and Cigars.
**THE ROOMS** are large and airy and the beds and bedding clean and comfortable, making the establishment, when completed one of the best in the mountains.
In connection with the house the proprietor has fitted an excellent
**Hay, Grain and Feed Stable,**
for the use of Teamsters and the traveling public generally. se 16 tf.

### GOLD RUN HOTEL,
**Main street, Gold Run, Placer County.**

GEORGE W. THORNE.....LESSEE.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING LEASED the entire interest in the above house, respectfully calls the attention of Travelers and Teamsters generally to the
**SUPERIOR ACCOMMODATIONS**
which he is prepared to offer them. The Table will always be supplied with the best the market affords, and the Bar with the
**Choicest Liquors and Cigars.**
In connection with this first class house there is a well arranged
**Livery, Feed Stable and Wagon Yard,**
For Teams and Wagons. In this department the public can rely upon being served with efficient men and with the best accommodations. julys-tf

### HERBERT'S EXCHANGE,
**Three MILES ABOVE DUTCH FLAT.**

JOHN L. HERBERT.....PROPRIETOR

THE PROPRIETOR RESPECTFULly informs the traveling public that he is prepared to accommodate all who favor him within call, being determined to exert himself to the utmost to give his guests every satisfaction. Ample accommodations for Teamsters as well as the public generally. ap29v6y

### ZERR'S STATION,
**Nine MILES ABOVE DUTCH FLAT.**

THOMAS LEWIS.....PROPRIETOR.

THE PROPRIETOR RESPECTFULly announces to his friends and the traveling public generally that he has purchased this well known Stage Station which he intends hereafter to keep in a style unsurpassed by any house in the mountains.
**TEAMSTERS AND TRAVELERS!**
Can rely upon receiving every attention and accommodation and pleasure parties from Dutch Flat will always be furnished with the best house affords. je3 tf

### CRYSTAL LAKE HOUSE.
**Nineteen Miles above Dutch Flat.**

HENRY POLLEY.....PROPRIETOR.

THE SUBSCRIBER DESIRES TO INform the traveling public that he is now prepared to accommodate all who may give him a call. Excellent facilities are provided for
**TEAMSTERS AND TRAVELERS,**
Having HAY and GRAIN, and a large COMMODIOUS LOT.
THE BAR is thought by connoisseurs to contain the Best Liquors, and Iced Beverages constantly made.
The subscriber has just constructed at NEW TRAIL whereby persons going to and from the
**New Mines at Excelsior District**
From all points below can save a considerable distance of mountain travel.
Distance to the new mines from Dutch Flat by way of the Crystal Lake House, thirty miles. ju15v6y

### TOMPKINS HOUSE,
**BEAR VALLEY, NEVADA COUNTY.**

E. O. TOMPKINS.....PROPRIETOR.

THE PROPRIETOR RESPECTFULly announces to the traveling public that he is now fully prepared to accommodate all guests in the best possible manner. Parties visiting this beautiful valley will receive every attention. The House is situated on the line of the Pacific Turnpike, between Dutch Flat and Bowman's Ranch, on the Henness Pass road. june17-tf

### RAILROAD RESTAURANT,
**Colfax, California.**
**HENRY TANGERMAN, : : : : Proprietor.**

THE PROPRIETOR RESPECTFULLY announce to the citizens of Colfax and the public generally, that his Restaurant is in full operation at the RAILROAD DEPOT BUILDING, where all the substantials as well as delicacies are served up daily at short notice. ☞ Passengers have an hour to get their meals between the arrival of the stages and the departure of the cars. se23-tf

### GOLDEN EAGLE HALL,
**S. E. Cor. MAIN AND STOCKTON STRTS.**

FRANK PAUSON.....PROPRIETOR

THE PROPRIETOR HAVING thoroughly remodelled and renovated this favorite place of resort, is now prepared to invite all to come and see him, assuring them them that he offers nothing but the
**Best Wines, Liquors and Cigars,**
That can be purchased below. In connection with this first class Saloon there are two fine
**Marble-bed Billiard Tables,**
Upon which those partial to this noble game can pass an hour of pleasant recreation.
Drop in as you are passing and see for yourself. oc15-tf

### SENATE SALOON,
**Opposite the Express office, Main Street.**

THE UNDERSIGNED DESIRES TO INform the citizens of Dutch Flat and his friends generally that he has leased this well known stand where he will constantly keep the best
**Syrups, Wines, Liquors and Cigars,**
to be had in the market. An experienced bar-keeper will always be in attendance to supply the wants of those favoring him with their patronage. A call from those partial to pure beverages is respectfully solicited.
Nov. 19, 1864-tf DAVID MAYER.

### "ESSEX."
**Corner of Main and Virginia streets,**
**GOLD RUN, CALIFORNIA.**

O. W. HOLKENBECK.....PROPRIETOR.

THIS NEW AND SPACIOUS BILLIARD SALOON, which has just been fitted up in first rate style, is now open to the public, and will be constantly stocked with the best
**WINES, LIQUORS AND CIGARS,**
that can be purchased on the Pacific coast.
A polite and attentive bar-keeper always in attendance to wait upon visitors. je24tf

TOBACCO.—The largest stock in town, at [my27tf] BURCKHALTER'S.

## SPECIAL NOTICES.

OLIVE LODGE, No. 21, I. O. O. F. hold their regular meetings on Wednesday evening of each week.
Brothers in good standing are cordially invited.
JNO. H. BOKE, N. G.
W. H. KEELER Rec. Secretary. jy1

LIBANUS CHAPTER, No. 17, R. A. M., Meets at their hall in Iowa Hill, every Thursday on or preceding the full moon of each month.
Companions in good standing are fraternally invited to visit.
J. H. NEFF, H. P.
W. D. LAWRENCE, Secretary. jy1-tf

CALIFORNIANS should test the merits of DR. HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS. Wells it is highly palatable as a beverage, it is unequalled as a tonic and invigorator. In the pursuit of fortune at the mines, many persons are exposed to the attacks of complaints of the digestives organs, and various kinds of fever. It is the very article that has so long been in demand in the mines. Its daily use will restore the tone of a deranged stomach, impart fresh vitality to the digestive functions, and cheer the spirits. Yet the Bitters is the safest of all stimulants Let the miner who is exposed to hot and dry, wet and cold, be certain to obtain a supply of the genuine Hostetter Bitter, and he will find it a certain safeguard to health. [je17 1m

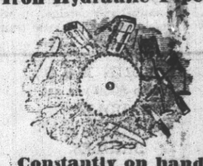
HOPE FOR THE AFFLICTED.—In another part of this paper will be found the advertisement of the celebrated Institute established by Dr. J. C. YOUNG, in 1850. In this age of deceit and charlatanism it is a boon to the suffering to point out to them where they are sure of obtaining the wished for relief and cure. Under the care of the skilful Doctor the sick and troubled can divest themselves of their burdens of pain; lay aside their cross, and secure health and happiness. If you are sick or in trouble, do not hesitate. Read the advertisement and follow the advice. Do not forget the number nor the manner of directing your letters. Consultation Office, 540, Washington street, San Francisco. my5-3m

Medical Advice.—DR. WM. K. DOHERTY'S Medical and Surgical Institute is becoming a *sine qua non* to the welfare of our State and health of our citizens; and his rapidly spreading reputation, although may excite surprise, is but the signal of skill, and follows as the natural result of such a cause. We are personally acquainted with gentlemen who had suffered for years under chronic disease, and who had taken advantage of every available means that promised relief, but without success, until they called upon Dr. Doherty, who, in an incredibly short space of time, has given them entire relief. It is gratifying to announce this fact, because the Dr. is a gentleman who seeks, not by defamation of others, to establish his reputation or ruin of another's fame. The Doctor conducts his own Institute in such a manner that must be gratifying to all his patients. He examines, advises, and recommends without charge, and the patient, after hearing his terms for treatment, can accept or reject at pleasure. In no case does the Doctor make a charge, unless he effects a cure. This he is able to do, because he feels the confidence which long experience has given, and no doubt the consolation which appertains to that confidence. Persons afflicted with either acute or chronic disease, would do well to consult the Doctor; at all events, it can do no harm, as for consultation he asks no fee; nor does he insist on obedience to his advice unless the patient places himself under his care. His offices are on Sacramento street, opposite the Pacific Mail Steamship office.—*S. F. News.*

### DUTCH FLAT SAW MILL.

THE ABOVE SAW MILL being the oldest established mill now in operation in the vicinity of Dutch Flat, having been lately repaired, is now capable of cutting lumber equal to the most celebrated mills in Placer county. We have on hand a general assortment of unseasoned and green lumber, hard and soft lumber, and curving
**Reduced the Prices**
to correspond with the times, will sell as LOW if not a *little* lower than any other Saw Mill in this vicinity.
We are now receiving in the yard a large and superior lot of saw logs, and can fill orders for lumber with dispatch of all usual dimensions, varying in length from 10 to 30 feet.
Being situated within a few hundred yards of Dutch Flat, and convenient to most of the valuable mining claims, offer superior inducements to
**Builders and Miners,**
Who will find it to their interest to give us a call before purchasing elsewhere.
☞ Lumber delivered to any point within ten miles
ALLEN TOWLE.
Dutch Flat, June 24th, 1860. tf

### WM. H. HILLHOUSE,
**Tin, Sheet-Iron and Copper-ware Manufacturer**
**Iron Hydraulic Pipe,**




**Constantly on hand.**
**Main Street, Dutch Flat.**

KEEPS CONSTANTLY ON HAND A GOOD ASsortment of
**Hardware, Tin Ware, Stoves, Pumps, Rope, Lead Pipe, Iron and Steel, Borax, Horse-shoe Nails, Sad Irons, Carpenters' Tools,**
Together with many other articles, too numerous to mention, which he is prepared to sell at very low prices.
**Iron Hydraulic Pipe**
Made to Order, and repaired at the shortest notice, and on the most reasonable terms.
☞ All work in my line done with neatness and dispatch. apr15 tf

### DISTRICT COURT SUMMONS.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, County of Placer, ss. District Court of the 14th Judicial District of said State.
The People of the State of California, To Johanna Vogel, Ephriam Vogel, Rachel Vogel, Rebecca Vogel, Sarah Vogel, Edwin Vogel and S. Heyman, Greeting:
YOU are hereby summoned to answer the complaint of E. L. Bradley in said Court, and filed against you, within ten days from the service of this Writ, exclusive of the day of service, if served on you in this county, but if served on you without said county, and within said District, twenty days; and if served on you without said county and District, then in forty days from such service, exclusive of the day of service, in an action commenced on the 7th day of April, 1864, in said Court, to obtain a judgment against you, S. Heyman, administrator of the estate of Louis Vogel, deceased, for the sum of One hundred ($100) dollars and interest thereon from May 9th, 1861, at the rate of 2½ per cent. per month, alleged to be due to Plaintiff on a certain promissory note of Louis Vogel, deceased, of the date and for the amount above mentioned, and also for a decree of foreclosure against certain property mortgaged by the said Louis Vogel, deceased, to secure the payment of the same and that the interest or claim of all the defendant above named in and to said mortgaged property be declared subsequent to and subject to Plff's said mortgage, and also for costs of suit, all of which you will find more fully set out in complaint on file a certified copy of which is herewith served, and you are hereby notified that if you fail to answer the complaint as directed, Plff will take judgment against you by default as prayed for in complaint and apply to the Court for the relief demanded.
In witness whereof, I, D. W. Spear, Clerk of the Fourteenth Judicial District Court aforesaid do hereinto set my hand and impress the Seal of said Court, at office in Auburn, this 8th day April, 1864.
[L. S. 50c]
D. W. SPEAR, Clerk.

It appearing to my satisfaction by the affidavit of E. L. Bradley, the above named plaintiff that the defts Rachel Vogel, Sarah Vogel, Rebecca Vogel and Edwin Vogel above named have departed from the State of California; that their present residence and the residence of each of them is to the pl'ff unknown, and it likewise appearing that pl'ff has a good cause of action herein and that the above named Rachel Vogel, Sarah Vogel, Rebecca Vogel and Edwin Vogel are necessary and proper parties to said action, and that summons has been issued in said action, on motion of Tweed & Craig, Att'ys for Pl'ff, it is ordered that service of the summons in said action, (hereto annexed) be had upon said defts Rachel Vogel, Sarah Vogel, Rebecca Vogel and Edwin Vogel by the publication of said summons in said action in the THE DUTCH FLAT ENQUIRER, a newspaper printed and published at Dutch Flat, in the County of Placer, once a week for the period of three months.
T. B. MCFARLAND, District Judge.
Attest: D. W. SPEAR, Clerk,
By A. N. GAMBELL, Deputy.
TWEED & CRAIG, Plaintiff's Atty's. aug26-3m.

## DRUGS AND MEDICINES.

R. H. MCDONALD, J. C. SPENCER.

### R. H. McDONALD & CO.,
Sacramento.
### R. H. McDONALD & CO.,
Corner of Sansome and Pine Streets, San Francisco,
**DRUGGISTS.**

We respectfully beg leave to inform our customers and the public generally that we have opened a House in the city of San Francisco, where we will be pleased to see as many of our old friends and customers as can make it convenient to call upon us. We shall keep at both places a large and well selected stock of

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| Drugs and Medicines, | Retorts and Crucibles, |
| Chemicals of all kinds, | Druggists Glassware, |
| Solid and Fluid Extracts, | Brewers' Stock, |
| Shakers' Herbs, | Soda Water Material, |
| Eclectic Preparations, | Paints and Oils, |
| Patent Medicines, | Kerosene and Coal Oils, |
| Fancy Goods, | Lard and Sperm Oils, |
| Trusses & Shoulder Br's, | Campheno & burning fluid |
| Abdominal Supporters, | Alcohol in Tin, |
| Assayers' Materials, | |

Together with a complete assortment of all articles in the Drug line. We do not intend to be undersold by any house in California. Orders respectfully solicited and goods forwarded to all parts of the Pacific coast and country.

R. H. McDONALD & CO.,
Importing Druggists, Sacramento
R. H. McDONALD & CO., San Francisco

### Trusses and Supporters.
Gum Stockings, Abdominal Supporters, Shoulder Brace, Suspensary Bandages, Silk Elastic Bandages for Ladies. A very large assortment of articles in this line For sale by
R. H. McDONALD & CO., Sacramento.
R. H. McDONALD & CO., San Francisco.

### Brewers' Stock.
Fresh Hops, Irish Moss, Burgundy Pitch, Keg Corks. Everything in this line of the best quality. For sale upon reasonable terms.
N. B. Ten bales Hops just received by Express.
R. H. McDONALD & CO.

### Assayes' Materials.
Crucibles, Retorts, Acids, and a general supply of all articles in this line. For sale by
R. H. McDONALD & CO.

### Eclectic Medicines.
We are constantly receiving per express, supplies from the manufacteries. For sale by
R. H. McDONALD & CO.

### Tildem's Sugar-Coated Pills,
Of nearly all the concentrated Medicines, put up in bottles. For sale by
R. H. McDONALD & Co.

### Perfumery.
We are constantly receiving articles in this line, direct from Foreign and American manufactories. For sale by
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[Written for the Enquirer.]

## TRIBUTE TO THE MENKIN.

"BY MACKENHOFF."

Oh! Ada, Isaacs, Menkin, Heenan, Newell,
I fear not now the wrath of Orpheus;
The kerr has gone, there's no show for a duel,
And you are where you can't kick up a muss.
And Heenan I fear not, he "threw you off."
And if he had'nt, he's been whipped by King;
He's quite too sore to fight e'en Mackenhoff,—
So unrestrained of you I'm bound to sing:
A pretty babe you doubtless were when born;
And innocent, perhaps, when but a child,
But growing up you learned, alas, to scorn
The paths of rectitude and soon went wild.
You captured Menkin, and he married you,
But could not stand your foolishness a bit,
So you took Heenan, Ada, it is true;
No doubt you thought you made a happy hit,
But he hit back as all prize fighters should;
You turned young Newell to a dough-head, then
He married you; and heavens, what he has stood,
Baffles description of my futile pen.
The writings of the far-famed Orpheus
Were racy once, and highly prized its true,
But naught he wrote was really worth a cuss
While in the traces he was hitched with you.
Oh were you not to virtue's mandates blind
When Mazeppa in the stage you sought
To show yourself to nearly all mankind
As only to your Orpheus you ought!
'Twas your desire to our strip every one
Who ever had the character essayed,
What you desired was then so truly done
That you the Devil—not Mazeppa—played!
Had you a fig-leaf donned like Mother Eve
When Mr. Adam only was in sight,
Now Mrs. What's-your-name, don't you believe
It would have looked a little nearer right?
But no, you wished to take the men by storm,
And never for a moment did suppose
That half the dolts who went to see your form
Would care a fig for seeing you in clothes.

A BEAUTIFUL CHARACTER.—Mrs. Swisshelm writes as follows to the Pittsburg *Chronicle* of the wife of the Secretary of State:

Mrs. Seward was one of the excellent of earth, a woman of wonderful intellectual power and great breadth of attainment—the companion, confidant, counsellor of her husband—one who read his written speeches before the printer saw them, and gave an opinion which he valued more than any other—one who read and digested long, tiresome documents, and gave him the substance in a few moments' fireside chat, thus contributing largely to that fund of information which distinguishes Mr. Seward. She was his 'higher law' adviser, and whenever his policy fell below that standard he had differed with her in opinion. She ever regarded the right as the expedient; or in other words, she aimed always to walk in the narrow path straight toward 'the mark for the prize of the high calling which is in Christ Jesus, our Lord.'

RICH AND POOR.—A poor laborer in a certain village died after a long illness, and presented himself at the gate of Heaven, where he found he had been preceded by a rich man of the same locality who had just died, and having previously knocked, had been admitted by the Apostle Peter. The laborer, who stood without, was enchanted by the ravishing sound of rejoicing and sweet music which appeared to hail the entrance of the rich man, and having knocked in his turn, was also admitted. But what was his astonishment at finding silence where seraphic sounds had so lately been joyously uttered.

"How is this?" he demanded of Peter; "when the rich man entered I heard music and singing; is there, then, the same distinction between rich and poor in Heaven as on earth?"

"Not at all," replied the apostle; "but the poor come to Heaven every day, whereas it is scarcely once in a hundred years that a rich man gains admission.

SILVER discoveries continue to be made within the limits of California. The Calaveras *Chronicle* is informed by a gentleman from West Point that the "Starr of Blue Mountain" company have, within the past few days, struck the lead in their tunnel at Blue Mountain, in this county. This company has been at work for two years, and now their persevering industry and energy are rewarded by one of the finest silver leads ever discovered west of the Sierra. Mining in this district was never in a more prosperous state than at present; the custom mills are all crowded. Numerous rich leads have been discovered in this district during the Summer. John Johnson, an old resident of the district, discovered a lead in August last, from which he took three thousand dollars in six weeks, and afterward sold his lead to a Mr. Barnes for one thousand dollars. Charles Goldstoin discovered a lead last week, in the same locality, for which he has refused ten thousand dollars.

A SHOOTING affray took place at Genoa, Nev., on the 6th instant, at about seven o'clock, between a Spaniard who answers to the name of Antoine, and Charles Cornelius, a colored barber, in which the latter was instantly killed. Antoine gave himself up to the authorities, and is now in custody. The difficulty originated a few nights previous over a game of cards. They both seemed eager for the fray.

WM. H. HASTINGS was shot and killed at Pine Creek, Butte county, on the morning of the 7th instant, by Jacob Smith, of the same place. The act was not witnessed by any other parties. Hastings expired in a few minutes, and just as parties came up who had heard the two shots. Smith says it was done in self-defence. An inquest is to be held. Smith gave himself up, and has been taken to Oroville.

THE Downieville *Messenger* says the eastern portion of the county has been laid off as an iron-mining district, under the name of the "San Saba Iron Mining District," and at a meeting of the citizens recently held in Sierra City, laws were adopted for the future government of the mines. One company was organized under the same, and are in negotiation with capitalists for the prosecution of the work, building of smelting furnaces, etc.

THE case of Pat Corbitt and Jack Wolfington, charged with being accessories in the La Porte stage robbery, says the Nevada *Transcript*, was argued on Wednesday evening by the District Attorney for the State and Judge Belden for the defence. Yesterday, Judge Smith discharged Corbitt, there being no evidence against him, and held Wolfington to answer before the next grand jury.

ONE of the early and most highly respected settlers of Sacramento, Capt. W. H. Simmons, died on Friday morning of last week, at the Union Hotel in that city. The deceased arrived there in 1849 and was the original builder and one of the first proprietors of the Orleans Hotel. The frame building known by that name, which was destroyed by the great fire of 1850, was constructed by him in New Orleans, and was brought to this State by one of his own ships. He was in his fifty-sixth year.

GEORGE GILMORE a miner employed in the Union claim, at Copperopolis, was killed by falling some thirty feet, on Wednesday, while stopeing down ore. The deceased was a member of the I. O. O. F., and was buried on Thursday by the members of that Society.

THE *Union* makes note of the fact that California powder is coming into extensive use in this State. It is found to be of a superior quality, and put up in tighter packages than Eastern powder, and therefore less dangerous to handle. The Pacific Railroad Company are using it extensively in blasting rock upon their work, requiring about 200 kegs per day.

THE Los Angeles *News* says: The season for wine-making is at hand. We have noticed that in many of the vineyards grape-picking has commenced; teams and wagons are now engaged daily in hauling grapes to the wine press, which will soon be in full operation.

R. M. BIGGS, after a three month's run of the *Union Advocate*, at Jackson, Amador county, retires from a position which he frankly admits was more than he bargained for.

## UNION PLATFORM.

**Adopted by the State Convention, Aug. 17, 1865.**

*Resolved*, That representing the loyal Union men, and the Union party of California, we acknowledge our inestimable debt of gratitude to the brave men who on land and sea have fought the battles of the republic through the varying fortunes of a desperate civil war; to the statesmen who have exercised the civil authority of the Government and conducted its diplomacy; and above all to Almighty God, whose gracious Providence in the affairs of men was never more signally manifest than in bringing our country—the hope and beacon light of humanity—triumphantly through so terrible a struggle.

*Resolved*, That while we have reason to rejoice in the success which has attended Union arms, and Union principles, we recognize the facts that our work is not yet done; that great questions yet remain to be settled and great difficulties to be overcome by Congress and the Administration in bringing order, peace and submission to law, out of the confusion and disorder in which the war has left the late rebel States; that there are still elements of disaffection to be restrained in the section lately in rebellion and to be combatted at the polls in California; and that consequently there is no less necessity than heretofore for maintaining the organization of the party in its full vigor and integrity, to the end that California may at all times be in condition to render the most effective and loyal support to every measure of polidy which may be found necessary by Congress or the Administration in order to maintain the authority of the Union and to secure and perpetuate the just fruits of victory.

*Resolved*, That in the life of Abraham Lincoln we recognize not only the eminent and lasting services which he rendered to our country as a patriot and a statesman, but also the brilliant and unstained example which he has left to his countrymen and mankind. Hitherto our history has been wanting in our illustration of the stimulating energy and of the field of action bestowed by our republican institutions. But in the history of his life we have an actual instance of one born in the humblest condition of society, who surmounted the obstacles infused by poverty and want of education, rising successfully from the lowest to the highest station in country, equal to every position and superior to every trial, and everywhere and at all times, and for all time presenting to the world the ideal type of the representative republican man, citizen and patriot. On his tomb we lay the offering of gratitude and love.

*Resolved*, That in Andrew Johnson we recognize the worthy successor of Abraham Lincoln; like him the representative of the benefits of our free and beneficent republican institutions, and that to him we transfer, with undoubting faith, the allegiance of hope and love which we bear to the beloved institutions of our county. That we approve the spirit of combined firmness and clemency which has thus far characterized his administration. We indorse his declaration, "That the restoration of peace and order cannot be entrusted to rebels and traitors who destroyed the peace and trampled down the order that had existed more than half a century," and believe it to be the duty of all Union men to oppose the restoration of civil power in the rebellious States until the President and Congress shall be satisfied that it will be wielded by truly loyal majorities therein. We have the fullest confidence in the Administration of President Johnson, and in his patriotism, wisdom and judgment, and pledge him our earnest support.

*Resolved* That it is the duty and policy of the State of California to adopt the amendment of the Constitution of the United States prohibiting involuntry servitude except on conviction for crime throughout the United States.

*Resolved*, That the Monroe doctrine is the traditional and well established policy of the United States, and we cannot see with indifference the subversion of the liberties of a friendly republic by European arms, and the establishment of imperialism by the same means, on our immediate borders.

## PLACER COUNTY UNION PLATFORM.

WHEREAS, the Union party of Placero cunty have assembled in Convention on this 27th day of June, 1865, for the purpose of choosing appropriate men to serve the people of said county as public officers; therefore

*Resolved*, That the Union men of this county rejoice over the success of the Federal Government in crushing beneath its iron heel the Slaveholders rebellion, and in restoring law and order in the rebellious States

*Resolved*, That we are in favor of a pacific national policy toward foreign nations in the settlement of demands and difficulties which have arisen during the rebellion, but are unanimously opposed to a compromise of any principal of right or National honor, for the sake of peace.

*Resolved*, That we reiterate our policy of retrenchment in an economical administration of our County, State and National affairs, and that in this connection, we declare our unqualified approval of the course of our late lamented Chief Magistrate, for the past four years, as deserving our lasting gratitude of a free and Chrirtian people: for his sound statemanship evinced by him, and the noble patriots whom he had called around him.

*Resolved*, That we earnestly desire the adoption, by the California Legislature, of the Constitutional Amendment passed by Congress at its last session, forever prohibiting slavery in the United States.

*Resolved*, That the loyal citizens of this county look forward with the greatest anxiety to the adoption of the National Currency Notes as a circulating medium.

*Resolved*, That henceforth the watchword of American patriots shall be, America for Americans, and by Americans, which includes all men born on native or foreign soil, who accept in their hearts our Declaration of Independence, our Constitution and our laws, and who are inspired by the spirit of American liberty, while it rightly excludes *all*, both native and foreign, in whose hearts there is avowed sympathy with domestic traitors or foreign foes.


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Thousands have been made to rejoice in returned health who had been trifled with by the numerous vampires that abound upon this coast, the chief of whom has been obliged to close out and leave the country; but still there are some left of whom the afflicted should beware.

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I wish to say now that you are the sixth Doctor I have employed, and the only one that has ever done me any service. My Gleet is wholly cured, the Stricture is all removed, and my general health is better than it has been for years.

In conclusion I would say to the many unfortunates who require medical advice, if you have any doubt as to whom you may employ, ask Dr. Doherty for my address and call and see me. (I keep store in this city.) My experience may save you many dollars.

I would also add that in the early stage of my disease, I used a large amount of the preparations advertised as an infallible cure for Gonorrhœa, Gleet, etc., but never derived any benefit from them.

I am, Doctor, very truly yours, L—— H——.
San Francisco, June 16, 1864.
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[L. S.] A. S. GOULD, Notary Public.

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A desire to benefit humanity, and a feeling of gratitude to Dr. W. K. Doherty, alone induces me to make this statement. For many years I have been afflicted with that fearful disease known as "spermatorrhœa," or Seminal Weakness, the result of self-abuse, but till 1855 experienced but little trouble or inconvenience. In that year however, I had Seminal weakness to an alarming extent, which was soon followed by the most alarming symptoms as weakness of the back and limbs, pain in the head, dimness of vision, nervousness and general debility. My mind, too, was afflicted to such an extent as to seriously impair my memory; my ideas were confused and spirits depressed. I was averse to society, had evil forebodings and self-distrust, and was entirely unfitted for any of the duties of life. From 1855 to the summer of 1863, I employed the very best medical talent I could find, and spent several hundred dollars, but in no instance obtained more than temporary relief. I had about concluded there was no relief for me in this world, but seeing Dr. Doherty's advertisement, I thought I would call and see him, as he charged nothing for consultation. I had an interview with Dr. Doherty at his office, in Sacramento street, and his fee for treatment was so reasonable, I determined to try him, though I did not expect much benefit from his treatment. On the 5th of December last I placed myself under his care; in one week I found myself very much improved, and now, after five weeks' treatment, I feel myself thoroughly cured of all my troubles and in the enjoyment of the best health. Hoping that my experience may be of benefit to others similarly afflicted, I subscribe myself JAMES JOHNSTON.
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 15th day of January, A. D. 1864.
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